



Party in the park

■ A PARTY in the park was held at the Borough Gardens, Dorchester to celebrate Love Parks Week.

Children were entertained with a Punch and Judy show during the afternoon as well as a whole host of games and stalls.

■ SEE pages 6 & 7 for full story and photos

Police crack down on anti-social behaviour

By Paul Crompton

EXTRA police officers are being drafted into Dorchester town centre to combat violence and alcohol abuse in a summer long crack down on anti-social behaviour in the town.

Officers will be patrolling the town centre with multi-agency partners for the next two months at a time when levels of alcohol-related violence is known to increase on Fri-

day and Saturday nights.

Patrolling police officers will be carrying pubwatch radios, which allow licensees to contact an officer directly if needed.

West Dorset District Council's licensing team and Dorset County Council's Trading Standards officers will also be stepping up checks in a bid to stop underage drinkers.

Inspector Les Fry of Dorset Police said: "We are committed to ensuring people of west Dorset are safe and feel safe."

"Under the banner of Operation Protect, we are joining forces with health, fire, local councils and the voluntary sector to tackle violent crime in all forms through increased enforcement and prevention activity in the towns."

Dorset Police is provid-

ing an enhanced level of policing throughout August and September and on occasions, will be joined by Dorset Primary Care Trust staff, provide generic health and sexual health advice.

West Dorset District Council's Community Safety Officer and Environmental Health Team will also be joining officers on patrol in the towns in a bid to keep people safe.

Prior to these visits, police officers have liaised with licensees, belonging to the town's respective pubwatch schemes, advising them on how to facilitate a safe and enjoyable atmosphere for patrons.

Shire Alcohol and Drug Outreach Service (ShAD-OWS) workers will also take to the streets to offer young people advice and guidance on alcohol and drug use.

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TONY BARTLETT, 71 is the West Bay pitch and putt golf course equivalent of the resident pro. Having spent nine years manning the greens Tony knows everything there is to know about the course and boasts an impressive 34 score round the challenging nine holes.

When not manning the pitch and putt Tony still keeps active on the bowling green, at the fishing lake or on the badminton court. He also works on his own golfing technique at Bridport Golf Course and follows his beloved Tottenham Hotspur Football Club.

Now divorced Tony lives on his own in Salway Ash, and is quick to share his love for the village that has been his home since retiring to Dorset.

This week Tony reveals what attracted him to the area, what football team he'd send to room 101 and the pitch and putt record he challenges any golfers to beat.

■ WHAT made you retire to Dorset?

My wife and I always said we would retire to Cornwall but we always came down through Dorset and we stayed at a friends caravan in Seatown. Then one day my wife said why don't we live in Dorset and I couldn't think of any serious reason why we shouldn't. We just wanted to be by the sea, which is what everybody wants when they live in the middle of the country. We happened to spot the house in Salway Ash and it's a lovely village.

■ HOW did you end up working at the pitch and putt course?

I got this job by default, I helped a bloke out a couple of weekends and then he said 'I'm moving to Ireland', I finished the season and I then just kept doing it. I've been here for eight years and the guy I work with has done 13 years, and he looks as though he has as well! He's a nice bloke and we get on really well.

■ WHAT is the best part of your job?

I think its meeting people, we get some really nice people coming down here and they pay me to get a sun-tan of course.

■ WHAT tips would you give to new golfers?

Well the only tips I can give them is what Dave Parsons, the pro at Bridport Golf Course, told me. Line up the feet so there is a parallel line between the tee off point and the hole. Once you've got that parallel all you do then is concentrate on your swing, but as I was a cricketer Dave had to work on mine a lot.

I have only been playing golf since I moved down here. My old cricket captain said that if he saw me on a



golf range he wouldn't pick me for cricket anymore because it would mess up my technique and if he reads this 'you were wrong'. I wish I had played earlier because it's a good game.

■ WHAT'S the record round the pitch and putt course?

I believe it was done in less than 27 when it first opened. Since I've been here the best score is 28, which is one over par. He was young lad and only failed to par the ninth hole and he was gutted. His dad went round with him that day and got 29 but no one has got anywhere near that since.

60 SECOND INTERVIEW

The best I've done here is 34. I find it almost as hard as the real course. It's an excellent little facility because with the raised greens you can't loft it and hold it on the greens.

■ WHAT do you think of Tottenham Hotspurs' chances this coming season?

I'm not as hopeful as most of the Spurs supporters. They played really well last year and have got a really good squad but the problem is they are only in the preliminary round of the Champions League and if they don't win that then it's all been a waste of time. I'm Spurs through and through and I wear my kit down here to wind people up. If you're wearing your Spurs shirt you can go round for free but if you're in a Manchester United shirt it's a tenner!

■ WHO would be your three dream guests at a dinner party?

I'd have the 1961 Spurs football team, Cheryl Cole because I think Newcastle girls are lovely and probably a lady from Wasingpool Farm, and that's all I'm going to say on that.

■ WHICH three items would you put into room 101?

I'd get rid of the bloke who set up our immigration system, because that really winds me up. Manchester United Football Club, especially the manager because he is such a big hypocrite. Finally the Aussie cricket team, I think we'll get a real shock when we go and play them over there.

■ IF you had been a leading player in any sport which would you choose?

Although I love football and cricket I would choose golf. It's not about teams or opponents, it's about you and your mental capacity to play all these different courses, and they're all different.

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Five hospitalised following horror crash

A DISASTER was narrowly diverted when emergency crews rushed to respond to a three-car collision within minutes of the incident happening just outside Dorchester.

All five people involved, including a father and his two daughters, survived the horror crash on the A35 outside The Friary Press, near to the Monkey Jump roundabout.

Firefighters had to use hydraulic cutting equipment to free the father from his Peugeot 306 car before taking him by land ambulance to Dorset County Hospital with head injuries.

By Paul Crompton

Crews from Dorset Fire and Rescue Service also worked to free his daughters from the back of the vehicle before they were taken to DCH where they were treated for minor injuries and shock.

However, two men were seriously injured with one having to be flown by air-ambulance to Poole Hospital with face and arm injuries.

The other man was taken by land ambulance to DCH with serious leg injuries.

The incident happened at around 2.30pm on Saturday, July 31st when the silver Chrysler Neon car, travelling east collided with a red Ford Puma car coming in the opposite direction, which then went on to hit the Peugeot head-on.

Diversions were then put in place whilst

the road was closed for three hours.

The Peugeot was registered to a Devon driver and the two other cars were registered to Dorset keepers.

Dorset Fire and Rescue Service had two crews from Dorchester at the scene of the crash scene within six minutes call out.

Anyone with information on the incident should contact PC Sarah Mackay of Dorchester Police's traffic department on 01305 222222.

Cyclist named

THE cyclist killed when a motorist hit him in the Crossways area near Dorchester, has been named following an inquest.

Crossways resident Ralph Manicom, 64, died when his bicycle was hit by a car in Warmwell Road, Crossways, just before midnight on Thursday, July 23rd. Mr Manicom was treated at the side of the road by paramedics but later died at Dorset County Hospital. The car driver, a woman in her 30s, was arrested and questioned by police as part of the investigation. An inquest into Mr Manicom's death was opened and adjourned in Blandford on Tuesday, July 28th.

Community farm picnic

TRANSITION Town Dorchester are inviting residents to a picnic on the site of Dorchester's new community farm.

The Duchy of Cornwall have generously granted Transition Town Dorchester a lease on two acres of land at Parkway Farm to the South of Weymouth College Construction Centre at Poundbury to establish a community garden and farm for Dorchester residents.

Suggested projects so far include a pond and wildlife garden, an ecobuilding, raised beds for vegetable growing, a hen coop, a picnic and social area, a children's area, a herb garden and a sensory garden for the sight impaired, to name but a few.

The picnic will be an opportunity for Dorchester residents to have a say on how they would like the community farm to evolve.

The picnic will be from 12.30pm to 3pm on Sunday, August 15th - bring a rug and picnic.

ITV 'fix it' for Friendship Clubs

PEOPLE from Friendship Clubs in Dorchester, Weymouth and even as far afield as Charmouth, gathered in the Borough Gardens to enjoy a picnic in the early evening sunshine.

Friendship Clubs are organisations for adults with additional needs, providing social events in a variety of venues where members can enjoy one another's company and take part in a whole host of activities.

There was, however, another reason for meeting in the beautiful surroundings of the Borough Gardens. The group had been chosen by ITV Fixers, a programme

which helps 16 - 25-year-olds tackle the problems they care about, to take part in filming with young people from Dorset V.

They aim to give a more positive image of young people when often they are given a negative one in the press.

Volunteers with Dorset V were very excited about linking with the Friendship Clubs and their organiser Laura Kerr, and a whole day of filming had taken part in the county town, including the Borough Gardens.

As well as promoting the Ice Cards and Safe Houses, visits were made to the Cry charity shop, the Leonard

Cheshire gardening project, the dog walkers of the Cinamon Trust, the graffiti art of the Moving On Festival, and the Oasis Café, also in the Gardens and which is run by the mental health charity Rethink.

Music festival grant

YOUNG people and organisers of Dorchester's free youth festival, Anonymous, were jumping for joy last week as they received the news that the festival had been awarded a grant through the Arts Council.

The grant will allow the festival, held in Maumbury Rings on Saturday, August 28th, to add even more activities and performers to a day already packed with local musicians.

As well as music, the festival will now have Bored-Brands Digital Funfair and PIG from the Whalley Range All Stars. Digital Funfair is a firm favourite on the festival circuit they combine new media, dance music, film and stuff found lying around in the street to create an experience which people will remember for a long time. While PIG features a 30 foot long sleeping sow in a pen, where the public get a chance to peek at a show that takes place inside her belly.

Added to the main stage line up is an Acoustic Cafe where Jack Harrison and Joe Trudgeon, Lil Dreads, Beth Hyde, Owen & Capaldi and Ali Rich will be playing, while a host of DJs take to the decks in Anonymous's own silent disco.

Between music on the main stage performers including the Kathy Davies School of Dance, the Dorchester Ballet and Dance Club, Dorchester Youth Theatre and Distinction with Cheerleading and Street Dance.



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Writing competition for creative kids

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The New Horizons creative writing competition

winner will also bag an eBook reader for themselves – with prizes thanks to sponsors Micro Librarian Systems.

Entries should include an outline of the novel, in-

cluding main characters and events, which is no more than 250 words, plus an opening chapter which should be between 500 to 1,000 words.

The New Horizons Book

Awards are run by the Schools Library Service and are open to Dorset children aged nine to 13 years.

Manager Alison Burgess said: "This is a great chance to bag some money towards getting one of your favourite authors to visit your school."

"The story can be about anything you like, but has to be an original piece of work."

"Dorset is awash with talented youngsters so I'm sure that there's plenty of budding authors out there – and who knows, we could have a potential J K Rowling, Jacqueline Wilson or Anthony Horowitz waiting to be discovered."

Entries should be emailed to schoollibrary-service@dorsetcc.gov.uk or sent to School Library Service, Education Resource Centre, Blandford Camp, Dorset DT11 8DG.

Entrants should include their name, age, contact details and declaration that the story is their own work.

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Young chef thanks her supporters



■ **PRESIDENT of Casterbridge Rotary Rowland Cornell, and Chairman of Casterbridge Rotary Youth Committee David Illingworth, with Stephanie Jones, her parents Michelle and David Jones, and mentor Lorraine Wong**

YOUNG chef Stephanie Jones, 16, already has all the right ingredients for a successful career in catering – and the determination to make it happen.

A pupil at the Thomas Hardy School in Dorchester, Stephanie recently finished third out of an initial 4,000 entrants in the national final of the Rotary Young Chef of the Year.

Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Dorchester Casterbridge, Stephanie attended a recent evening meeting at the King's Arms to thank members for their support and recount her experiences throughout the competition.

Introduced by her Rotary mentor, Lorraine Wong, Stephanie took people on a journey from the initial competition held in school, through every round, until finally arriving at that coveted third place.

She expressed genuine gratitude for the tremendous support she received not just from the Rotary Club but also from her parents, teachers and Steve Titman of

By Anita Harries

the Summer Lodge, Evershot.

The advice from Steve in particular was invaluable, and Stephanie was lucky enough to spend some time working in his kitchen, an experience she will carry forward to her future career.

Stephanie initially found the competition quite daunting, but gradually grew in confidence as the rounds progressed.

The judges were impressed with her calm demeanour, her technical skills and her help and support for her fellow contestants.

Overjoyed with her final placing, Stephanie will go on to study food technology in the sixth form at Hardy's.

She said: "I would love to go to catering college, maybe study in France, and perhaps one day have my own chain of restaurants."

A busy year for Magna

MAGNA Housing Association has built 99 new affordable homes in the last year, with another 435 planned over the next three years.

At the Dorchester-based association's annual general meeting, chairman Ian Bullock said: "Over the last 12 months, Magna has very definitely met its purpose – to help people meet their housing and related needs and aspirations."

The association is a not-for-profit organisation which has more than 5,800 homes for rent and nearly 150 shared ownership properties.

A recent residents' survey showed that overall satisfaction had gone up from 81 per cent in 2008 to 84 per cent, with satisfaction on repairs and maintenance up

from 71 per cent to 80 per cent.

Other highlights from the year include:

- £10m of investment in work to achieve the government's Decent Homes Standard on all Magna's homes by December 31st 2010

- The introduction of repairs by appointment

- Successful merger of its waiting list with West Dorset District Council's, so applicants have to register only once

- The introduction of a financial incentive scheme to encourage residents to move from properties that are too big for them so as to free-up homes for families

- Rent arrears and re-letting

empty properties in the top 25 per cent of all housing associations

- Increasing resident involvement with the launch of the Community Connections residents' group, which will help Magna shape its services.

Future plans include taking action to achieve the Audit Commission's "excellent" standard, improving the association's offices in Poundbury Road, providing 200 new affordable homes this financial year and continuing to replace 300 kitchen and bathrooms a year, along with new roofs, windows, doors, boilers and insulation to keep its properties to a high standard.

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Borough gardens win prestigious awards

LOVE Parks Week was celebrated in the Borough Gardens, Dorchester, with a day of activities for children.

As well as the gardens' excellent play area, there was plenty to keep them occupied, with many families turning up and enjoying a picnic lunch in the sunshine.

Dorset Wildlife Trust came along with lots of information, a nature trail

By Anita Harries

and some very interesting skulls and creepy crawlly insects that always hold a certain fascination for the younger generation. There was tennis coaching on the gardens' two courts, and the West Dorset Action Van came along with a bouncy castle and their very popular circus skills.

Punch and Judy attracted crowds of children, and Len Watts appeared with

his steam engine to give rides around the gardens. A very large tractor was also on show and the Mill Street Jazz Band provided some first class musical entertainment in the bandstand.

There was standing room only in the play area, and more than 20 families took part in a treasure hunt around the gardens. The eventual winner, picked by

the Mayor of Dorchester, Councillor Leslie Phillips, from all the correct answers, was Ellie-Mae Barnby.

Just after midday, the Mayor raised the Love Parks Award Flag, the third time the Borough Gardens have won this title in as many years. And the gardens have also won the prestigious Heritage Shield, along with only two other towns in the south-west. The Borough

Gardens is a park of historic interest containing many listed monuments – the clock tower, the fountain, the bandstand and the benches that surround it – and this award has been given for the excellent work carried out in repairing and maintaining these monuments.

The concept of the Victorian park has been cleverly preserved among its modern surroundings. Mayor Leslie Phillips said: "These two awards are marvellous for the town of Dorchester and our glorious gardens.

"Our thanks must go to the hard working staff who keep this jewel in our crown looking so wonderful.

"Both locals and visitors to the town love coming here to admire not just the buildings but the superb flower beds and the first class facilities we have for all to enjoy.

"It is very rewarding to see so many families here today making the most of the glorious weather and playing in complete safety.

"The town council are very proud of the Borough Gardens and a great deal of effort goes into making sure they remain so."



■ MAYOR Leslie Phillips and town council employee Pete Mullins with the Heritage Shield



■ MAYOR Leslie Phillips and Pete Mullins of the town council with the Love Parks Award Flag



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Hardy's westcountry inspires artist

THREE very talented people had their skills on display in the Magistrate's Room in Dorchester's Corn Exchange as part of this year's Hardy Festival.

The Mayor of Dorchester, Councillor Leslie Phillips, officially opened an exhibition of paintings, drawings and etchings by David Brackston.

by Anita Harries

ton.

A professional painter for all of his adult life, David's paintings appear under the signature "Drax" and he has commissioned work and gallery paintings across the globe.

His exhibition, created for the Hardy Festival, is

based on the link between the novels and poems of Thomas Hardy and the people and landscapes of Wessex. And his personal interpretation of the texture, colour and atmosphere of the West Country, and in particular Dorset, is quite stunning. He has cap-

tured the county at its very best and encompasses all that Hardy loved about the area in which he lived and wrote.

A book entitled "Thomas Hardy and the Jurassic Coast" was launched at the same event.

Compiled by well known Hardy scholar Patrick Tolfree and Re-

becca Welshman, and illustrated by David Brackston, the guide has been published by the Thomas Hardy Society supported by the Jurassic Coast Trust.

As well as offering new perspectives on Hardy's life and works, it identifies and describes 20 Hardy-Jurassic landmarks, and demonstrates affinities between Thomas Hardy and the Jurassic Coast. And it is extremely well written and well worth reading. The collaboration between the two writers is excellent, and the illustrations by David Brackston add the perfect finishing touch to a delightful book.

The guide was launched by Dr Jon Murden, Director of the Dorset County Museum.

"Patrick and Rebecca have done us all a great service by compiling this much needed guide," said Dr Murden.

"Hardy liked to be able to visualise in his mind's eye the settings of his



■ PATRICK Tolfree and Rebecca Welshman with their latest publication

novels. And as a result a large number of his locations are within five miles of the sea – not least because of his great sense of place, but also because of his interest in

maritime traditions and his profound sense of the past.

"This publication really does bring together two of Dorset's greatest assets, so I implore you to

follow the advice Dr Tony Fincham gives in his introduction and allow Patrick, Rebecca and David's work to open the door of the west for you."



■ MAYOR of Dorchester Councillor Leslie Phillips with exhibition artist David Brackston

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Art Lab workshops return

ART Lab is a wonderful arts and crafts day service for adults with moderate or mild learning difficulties and autistic spectrum disorders.

It started in 2009 as an idea to offer a small and intimate workshop environment to these adults, where group members could try out various art and craft techniques they may not have previously experienced.

These workshops started in September 2009 at the Dorchester Arts Centre and have been an amazing success story for organiser Tim Whitmore and his helpers.

Based around a structured programme of workshops, the group has developed organically as each member has relaxed, gained confidence in their own abilities and explored new arts and crafts mediums.

The quality of work produced by those attending the workshops has been quite staggering, and they recently held their very first exhibition at Dorchester Arts Centre. And what is so moving is that they are all so incredibly proud of every piece of art they have produced and are equally keen to tell visitors how each piece was created.



TIM and his helpers with regular members of Art Lab

by Anita Harries

The exhibition included some very scary clay sculptures featuring undesirable characters from Dr Who, Harry Potter and Lord of the Rings to name but a few.

Paper mache sculptures hung from the ceiling and some superb weaving and collage work surrounded the walls.

Much of the work produced over the past 12 months was on show, the quality outstanding, and the experience gained by these enthusiastic people very positive.

The aim now is to continue Art Lab and build on the work and experiences of its first year.

New techniques will be tried and skills developed.

Next year's programme, commencing on September 13th, features everything from banner and flag making to fabric panting, collage, weaving and paper making. More details can be obtained from Tim on 01305 261065 or 07817 493696. Alternatively he can be emailed on Dorchesterartlab@btinternet.com.



CAROLINE Nickinson receives a cheque for £815 on behalf of the Weldmar Hospicecare Trust from Rowland Cornell

Ironman money for Weldmar

At a recent meeting of the Rotary Club of Dorchester Casterbridge, president Rowland Cornell handed over a cheque for £815 to Caroline Nickinson of the Weldmar Hospicecare Trust.

The money was raised by Milton Abbas doctor, Martin Longley, when he took part in the 2009 half Ironman competition.

With many of his patients being more than generous with their sponsorship, Dr Longley donated funds to several charities, one of which was the Weldmar Hospicecare Trust.

In his capacity as secretary of the Ironman Steering Group, who provide support services and marshals for these events, Row-

land was more than happy to hand the cheque to Caroline on behalf of Martin.

All donations go a long way in helping Weldmar carry out their vital work caring for the terminally ill, and Caroline expressed her gratitude at receiving yet another valuable cheque to ensure this work continues.

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Mayor becomes president

MAYOR of Dorchester Leslie Phillips has been elected honorary president of Magna Careline.

The new role was created to mark Mr Phillips' commitment to the 24-hour emergency alarm service he started more than 21-years-ago.

He has been a huge supporter of Careline since it began and was its chairman before standing down at the annual general meeting this week.

Magna Careline is a telecare monitoring service used by thousands of people across Dorset and beyond, to Plymouth in the west, West Sussex to the east and Wolverhampton to the north.

As well as helping people to retain their independence in their own homes, the service also handles calls for commercial customers to provide business continuity 24 hours a day and offer protection for lone workers.

Magna Careline director Raymond Ardrey said: "Fellow board members were unanimous in their desire to see Mr Phillips recognised for all his hard work.

"Leslie has a wealth of knowledge, having been involved with Magna Careline since its inception. But Leslie's contribution goes far beyond that. He's a fantastic ambassador for Magna Careline. He knows how reassuring it is for people to have the friendly voice of one of our operators on hand in time of need.

"Knowing Leslie, it's no surprise he wanted to continue to support one of the services to local people that has been closest to his heart for so many years. By accepting the role of honorary president he will be able to continue to represent Magna Careline, and maintain, at high profile, the benefits which Careline's services can bring to local communities."

Mr Phillips was elected president for the coming year after Magna Careline's AGM at its base in Dorchester.

A new chairman will be appointed soon.



■ HONORARY President for Magna Careline, Leslie Phillips

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■ KEITH Wilson from the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance (centre) receives a cheque for £221 from Inspector Caroline Naughton and Inspector Les Fry

Police roadshow raises £221 for air ambulance

By Anita Harries

AN incredibly successful Blue Light Roadshow, organised by Dorset Police and held at Dorchester Rugby Club, resulted in the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance receiving a cheque for £221.80.

Air ambulance representative Keith Wilson, a staunch supporter of the charity, went along to Dorchester Police Station to pick up the cheque from Inspector Les Fry of Dorchester Police and his counterpart at Bridport, Inspector Caroline Naughton.

With the air ambulance one of the main attractions

at the event, the money was raised through the sale of ice creams, rides on the Segways, and the face painting talents of Kris Hallett from Dorset Community Action.

Every penny raised goes towards keeping the air ambulance fully operational and provides a vital lifeline to countless people across the rural counties of Dorset and Somerset.

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Historic summer fair at county museum



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The Victorian Hall was filled with stalls selling plants, books, toys, bric-a-brac, homemade cakes and preserves, and handicrafts.

Information stalls were manned by the Dorset Wildlife Trust and the Kingcombe Centre, and for the more discerning the opportunity to try their hand at guessing the use for some very interesting objects.

Tickets were available for a grand raffle, and museum Director Jon Murden was on hand to see fair play on

By Anita Harries

the tombola.

Those with some degree of patience could try their hand at creating a mosaic, while musical diversion was provided by the excellent Pop Club.

And for the children and the young at heart, TV characters such as the Stig, Darth Vader and the daleks were there to both amuse and entertain.

With or without the Summer Fair, Dorset County Museum is a fascinating place to visit and houses some remarkable exhibitions.



■ **MUSEUM Director Jon Murden keeps an eye on the tombola**

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Magpies to train on 'supergrass' pitch

FOOTBALLERS in West Dorset can now play on a new "Third Generation" artificial turf pitch filled with rubber crumbs, providing a first class playing surface.

Dorchester Town Football Club will be using the new pitch at Dorchester's Thomas Hardy Leisure Centre as the main training facility for the first team.

The district council has

been working with the club and other local teams to increase the number of young people in the area playing the sport.

The state-of-the-art surface is able to withstand more intensive use than a traditional grass pitch, needs lower maintenance and isn't as affected by severe weather conditions.

The surface, which

meets international football authorities' standards, has been designed to improve player comfort, minimise injuries and reduce ball bounce and mimics the feeling of playing on grass.

The new supergrass can be used by the community and bookings can be made by contacting the leisure centre.

Students at Thomas Hardy School will also

be using the new pitch as part of their PE lessons.

The district council secured £124,400 from the Football Foundation to resurface the artificial turf pitch and kick-start a three year programme to promote football in Dorchester and the surrounding area.

Dorset County Council also provided funding for the new pitch.

Funded by the Premier

League, The FA and the government, the Football Foundation is the nation's largest sports charity.

Launched in July 2000, the foundation celebrates its 10th anniversary this summer and has so far supported 8,000 community sports projects worth £920m.

In Dorset alone it has funded 129 community projects worth £3.8mil-

lion.

Dorchester Town Football Club Assistant Manager Phil Simkin said: "The players are delighted to be able to use such a state-of-the-art facility for training."

"This will be extremely beneficial to the club, especially during the winter months when the all-weather surface will come into its own."

"Often it is hard to find a suitable venue to train

at during the cold and wet weather and the playing staff are really looking forward to using this brand new facility."

West Dorset District Council leader Robert Gould said: "We are delighted that West Dorset residents and local teams such as Dorchester Town Football Club now have access to these state-of-the-art facilities."

"This new pitch will be a great asset for West

Dorset and a boost to local football."

"The current pitch at Thomas Hardy Leisure Centre is already well used by people of all ages and I hope these new facilities will encourage more people across the district to take up the sport."

New nets will also divide the pitch into three, which will mean more booking opportunities on offer for local players.

Football club commercial manager sets his targets

DORCHESTER Town Football Club's new Commercial Manager is in settling in well after taking up the position in April this year.

Damian Groves has been a supporter of the club for almost 40 years and is one of its longest serving Vice-Presidents.

After 33 years in the insurance business he needed a new challenge. When offered the role of Commercial Manager, a far cry from the days when he worked behind the tea bar, Damian felt he had found that challenge.

His heart has always been with the football club, and he has set himself three aims he would like to achieve over the next two years.

His first is to get the club more financially stable, and to help with this he needs to meet his second aim - to get more people through the turnstiles and watching the matches. Finally, he would like more businesses to come forward and talk to the club, use its facilities, and create working partnerships which will benefit both parties.

"We need to create a more positive profile within the community, to promote the fact we are a family orientated club," he said. "And encourage people to use the excellent facilities we have here at the Avenue Stadium."

Damian and the staff at the football club are more than happy to accommodate a whole range of events within the confines of the stadium, and ample car



■ COMMERCIAL Manager Damian Groves with the club's Community Officer James Coutts

By Anita Harries

parking is available.

It is very much hoped that improved success on the pitch can be achieved this season, and support for the club on match days increase accordingly.

Damian is open to suggestions as to how the club can better serve the community and is eager to talk to anyone who wishes to put forward ideas as to the kind of events they would like to see the club support-

ing.

This is a club that is moving forward and desperately wants to return to the days when it was very much a family club.

They are already giving match day concessions to members of the armed forces and those who work for the health service. Damian can be contacted at the Avenue Stadium or by ringing him on 07971 204288.

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Dorset pupils give top marks to going green

THE three Rs - reduce, reuse and recycle - have scored top marks with pupils across Dorset. From September 2009 to July 2010, recycling officers visited more than 80 local schools, talking to almost 8,500 youngsters about the benefits of reducing waste.

Dorset councils are committed to working with local nursery, primary and secondary schools across the county to encourage pupils to start thinking about helping the environment from an early age.

A programme of fun and interactive waste awareness and prevention activities, including educational shows, assemblies, individual class visits and trips to Dorset County Council's education centre in Wareham, are available to local schools and community groups. The team also carry out waste audits which are designed to help schools identify the common types of materials they throw away.

Dorset County Council's waste education and projects officer Kirsten Juniper said: "Every household in the UK throws away more than a tonne of waste each year and more than half of this can be recycled."



GOING GREEN | Pupils from St Mary's First School in Bridport putting the environment first with Recycler the rapping robot

"It's great to be able to visit schools and interact with children and teenagers about how they can help the environment by reducing, reusing, recycling and composting their waste."

"We provide a range of school resources such as quizzes, pictures and fact sheets as well practical ideas and suggestions that children can do at school and at home."

"We also have a flexible approach to working with

schools, so if teachers have other ideas for activities we do our best to accommodate them."

The education centre has a range of features demonstrating the importance of reusing household waste. Pupils discover how and what can be recycled, take a look at objects made from recycled materials and learn about what can go into a compost bin as well as watching waste and recycling DVDs. They also have a guided tour of the household recycling centre.

Working with local schools is part of the Dorset's waste strategy, which aims to achieve 60 per cent recycling by 2015/16.

It was officially adopted by Christchurch Borough Council, Dorset County Council, East Dorset District Council, North Dorset District Council, West Dorset District Council and Weymouth and Portland Borough Council in May 2009. For more information visit www.dorsetforyou.com/schoolsrecyclingeducation

Deputy fire chief moves on to top job in Norfolk

DORSET'S Deputy Fire Officer, Nigel Williams, has left the county's fire service after ten years to take up his new role as Chief Fire Officer of Norfolk in August.

Nigel was appointed Deputy Chief Fire Officer for Dorset in January 2008. His career has spanned 25 years having first started in 1985 with the then West Yorkshire Fire and Civil Defence Authority before a move to Suffolk in 1991.

From 1995 to 1998 Nigel was seconded to the Fire Service College, Moreton-in-Marsh, where he lectured in Fire Safety Engineering before a return to Suffolk.

In November 2000 Nigel took on a new role in Dorset. Throughout his career, Nigel has had a variety of roles remaining operational in all posts.

He is a member of the Chief Fire Officers' Association and holds an MSc. Nigel said: "I have had many experiences in Dorset dealing with a wide

range of emergencies on heaths, in towns, villages, on our roads, forests and beaches, but my enduring memories are of being part of a team working on many youth development programmes that our service runs along with our partners providing young people the opportunity to change their lives.

"I shall be sad to leave," he added.

"Dorset Fire and Rescue Service is one of the most successful fire and rescue services in the country despite very low funding, this is without doubt due to the dedication of all of our staff, whether crewing a fire engine or delivering front line services in a variety of other ways."

"I want to pay tribute to this team who have prepared me for my new command in Norfolk."

Chairman of Dorset Fire Authority, Chris Bulteel, praised Nigel's commitment to the service and on his success for the future and said: "Members

of Dorset Fire Authority are very pleased to see the promotion of Nigel to the rank of Chief Fire Officer for Norfolk."

"Norfolk's gain will be a huge loss to Dorset and we will miss his knowledge, skills, guidance and advice. He has made a considerable contribution to the modernisation of Dorset Fire and Rescue Service and his will be a

very difficult act to follow.

"I would like to thank him personally for his support to me as Chair of the Authority. He has travelled with me throughout Dorset in an attempt to meet all of the personnel of DFRS and his input has been invaluable to me."

"I wish him well in the future and look forward to meeting up with him again in the not too distant future."



MOVING ON | Departing Deputy Chief Fire Officer Nigel Williams (left) receives a parting gift of an antique fire hose from Darran Guntar, Dorset's Chief Fire Officer

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DO you love cooking for family and friends and experimenting with new recipes? Maybe you dream of winning Masterchef or winning a Michelin star. If you really know your onions and you're passionate about great food, how would you like to cook with two of Dorset's finest chefs at the Dorset County Show on 5th September?

We're offering one lucky reader the opportunity to be sous chef with Mat Follas, of The Wild Garlic, Beaminster www.thewildgarlic.co.uk and Russell Brown, from Sienna in Dorchester www.siennarestaurant.co.uk.

Mat and Russell will go head to head in a celebrity chef cook-off, each vying to wow the crowd with their individual take on a variety of dishes. As sous chef, our winner will help each chef to prepare his dish, whilst picking up masses of inspiration, techniques and delicious tastings along the way.

Mat Follas has quickly established his reputation as one of our most talented chefs, having won Masterchef in 2009. Mat specialises in using wild

produce and local seasonal ingredients. Russell Brown recently won a Michelin star for his seasonally inspired cuisine, characterised by his use of the finest available ingredients.

To enter, please send us your favourite recipe (starter, main or pudding) and tell us in 50 words what you'd bring to the table in terms of your skills and enthusiasm at the cook-off. Send your entry to Dorset County Show Cook Off, View From Newspapers, Unit 3, St Michael's Business Centre, Church Street, Lyme Regis, Dorset DT7 3DB or email pemedia@pemedia.co.uk. Closing date is 27th August. A winner will be selected via telephone interview from a shortlist. The editor's decision is final.



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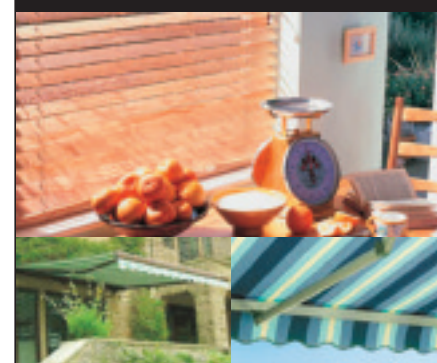
The work of the practice stretches beyond old buildings in historic locations. L F Webb & Partner produce schemes to provide additional living space in houses and flats of various styles and ages. They design new homes and apartment buildings in urban and rural settings for private individuals and development companies.

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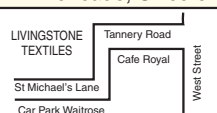
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The company was started by Jim Kelly and he is soon to be joined by his son Steve, Jim has come from an Army background before becoming employed as a Driving Examiner for the last 10yrs I would like to thank all my neighbours and friends for the warm welcome we received on our arrival to Bridport, especially the regulars of our local pub The Crown Inn. Our next venture is to start a wheelie bin cleaning round if there is enough demand for it, so if you would like yours cleaned please get in touch.

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Margaret's happy ending

FOR almost 10 years Margaret Well-spring has been a regular at Age Concern, Dorchester, first as a volunteer, then as a computer tutor, and finally as IT Activities Manager.

However, she has now decided the time has come to hang up her mouse and retire from the world of computer technology.

When Margaret first began her IT journey with Age Concern, she had just one computer and four eager pupils. She is leaving behind a legacy of a whole suite of computers, the Mouse House, and a wide range of courses and activities which are all well attended and incredibly popular.

John Weir, Chairman of the Trustees, offered grateful thanks to Margaret for her successful building up of the service, before the lady of the moment took to the floor.

Margaret loves the cinema, especially some of the golden oldies, and many people had dressed up as characters from films to attend Margaret's retirement lunch.

Her favourite film of all time is "Some Like It Hot", and she was more than a little bemused at the sudden appearance of Marilyn Monroe, Tony Curtis and Jack Lemmon.

However, she gained her composure to thank everyone who had helped and supported her during her time at Age Concern.

There were particular thanks for

by Anita Harries

Wendy Hilton who gave her the opportunity to create such superb IT facilities and only reined in her enthusiasm when really necessary. And also, of course, for her assistant Angela who was constantly picking up the pieces and fine tuning her press releases, and members of the Evergreens club who played supporting cast to her many publicity stunts.

Among her projects at Age Concern have been the immensely popular Dorset's Living Memories, and the aptly named Reach for the Skype.

Her swansong was the recently released Living Memories calendar, now on sale at Age Concern and a wonderful tribute to all she has achieved.

Margaret was presented with flowers, a year's membership of the National Trust for herself and her husband Mike, an alarm clock, a framed re-enactment of the front page of the calendar, and her own very special calendar full of memories of her time at Age Concern.

Surrounded by Minnie Mouse, Audrey Hepburn, Lawrence of Arabia, Olivia Newton John and many others all showing their appreciation of everything she has done, Margaret has vowed to take a well earned break before, in the immortal words of a well known film: "I'll be back!" And no doubt she will.



■ STARS of the silver screen wish Margaret a happy retirement

Poets ask who's in the next room?

FOUR of Dorset's most talented poets entertained people and delegates at the Hardy Conference and Festival with an evening of poetry in the United Church, Dorchester.

Paul Hyland, Kate Scott, Catherine Simmonds and Pam Zinnemann-Hope read a selection of Thomas Hardy's strange and electrifying verse alongside some of their own works.

The programme for "Who's in the Next Room?" was developed during a National Trust poetry residency at Hardy's Cottage in Higher Bockhampton, and was originally performed at Max Gate.

Their own poems are responses to Hardy's fiction, poetry and the landscape in which he lived and worked, and create an animated conversation which cleverly reflects the man, his legend and his words.

This was an evening of poetry beautifully read, an evening of memories, of visits recounted with feeling, and an evening of imaginary tales folding into the reality of the past within the calm confines of the United Church.

As well as a superb collection of Hardy's poetic



■ THE Dorset Poets Catherine Simmonds, Paul Hyland, Pam Zinnemann-Hope and Kate Scott

works, those written by the four Dorset poets were equally as enthralling, brilliantly written, and created an unique yet recognisable picture of the man himself.

"Nobody Comes, 9th October 1924" served as a reminder as to how far into the 20th century Hardy actually came. Paul Hyland read his own take on "Who's in the Next Room" before

reciting Hardy's poem of the same name.

After admitting she did not connect with the poetry of Thomas Hardy until she read his biography by Clare Tomalin, Pam Zinnemann-Hope read her delightful "Visit, Hardy's Cottage 2009".

An amazing poem about the lone hawthorn on Eggardon Hill, and a very cleverly written piece entitled "The Night Before He Sold Her" en-

compassing the sale of Susan Henchard and her baby by Husband Michael Henchard in the Mayor of Casterbridge, all brought Hardy to life through the eyes of four very individual writers.

Yet each one understood Hardy, his emotions, his people and the places he loved, to perfection and wove their own works through his to give an evening of creative genius.

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AG143	Farm Records and Accounts	tbc	8 Oct
AG012	Practical Lambing	2 days	16 Oct
AG016	Tractor Driving & Related Operations	5 days	25 Oct
AG007	Smallholders	10 wks	1 Oct



IT, Business Skills and Professional Development

Start Date

IT510	Basic Guide to Computing - Part 1	6 wks x 3 hrs	13, 15 & 17 Sep
IT511	Basic Guide to Computing - Part 2	6 wks x 3 hrs	14 Sep
IT512	Basic Guide to Computing - Part 1 (Bovington)	6 wks x 3 hrs	15 Sep
IT513	Basic Guide to Computing - Part 2 (Bovington)	6 wks x 3 hrs	3 Nov
IT521	Computer Artwork Level 1	6 wks x 3 hrs	13 Sep
IT523	Word Processing & File Management L1	12 wks x 3 hrs	16 Sep
IT524	Spreadsheets and Databases Level 1	12 wks x 3 hrs	14 Sep
IT525	ECDL Essentials	12 wks x 3 hrs	14 Sep & 17 Sep
IT536	Word Processing Level 2	6 wks x 3 hrs	13 Sep
IT537	Spreadsheets Level 2	6 wks x 3 hrs	16 Sep & 1 Nov
IT538	Databases Level 2	6 wks x 3 hrs	4 Nov
IT550	Book-Keeping & Accounts - Level 1	10 wks x 3 hrs	14 Sep
IT551	Book-Keeping & Accounts - Level 2	10 wks x 3 hrs	14 Sep & 16 Sep
IT552	Book-Keeping & Accounts - Level 3	18 wks x 3 hrs	16 Sep

IT554	SAGE Computerised Accounts - Level 2	6 wks x 3 hrs	1 Nov
IT560	CAD - AutoCAD - Level 2	18 wks x 3 hrs	14 Sep & 15 Sep
IT561	CAD - AutoCAD - Level 3	18 wks x 3 hrs	16 Sep
IT570	Adobe Photoshop - Introduction	6 wks x 3 hrs	15 Sep & 5 Oct
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IT572	Adobe Photoshop - Adv Part 1	6 wks x 3 hrs	3 Nov
IT575	Adobe Illustrator - Introduction	6 wks x 3 hrs	13 Sep & 24 Sep
IT576	Adobe InDesign - Introduction	6 wks x 3 hrs	1 Nov
IT577	Digital Photography - Introduction	3 wks x 3 hrs	14 Sep & 23 Nov
IT580	Web Design - Using Publisher	6 wks x 3 hrs	1 Nov
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FA012	First Aid at Work	3 day x 6 hrs	8 Oct

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EQ048	BHS Stage 2 Horse Knowledge Care & Riding - Riding	12 wks	16 Sep
EQ049	BHS Stage 2 Horse Knowledge Care & Riding - Stables	12 wks	16 Sep
EQ005	Horse Owners Certificate Level 1	10 wks	20 Sep
EQ035	Building a Show Jumping Course	1 day	23 Oct
EQ058	Introduction to Alternative Horsemanship & Equine Behaviour	1 day	23 Oct
EQ012	Lungeing	1 day	25 Oct
EQ055	First Aid for the Horse	1 day	26 Oct

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Arboriculture

AB010	Maintain & Operate the Chainsaw Unit 30	2 days	7 Sep
AB058	Use of Powered Pole Pruners	1 day	8 Sep
AB047	Safe use of Mobile Elevated Work Platforms (MEWPS)	1 day	14 Sep
AB021	Chainsaw - Climbing Trees and Perform Aerial Rescue	5 days	21 Sep
AB010	Maintain & Operate the Chainsaw Unit 30	2 days	22 Sep
AB008	Brushwood Chipper (NPOTC Certificate A06)	tbc	6 Oct
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HR122	RHS Level 3 Growth, Health and Applied Propagation	1 year	6 Sep
HR113	Award in Garden Design - L2	1 year	7 Sep
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HR020	Painting Fruits & Berries	2 days	2 Oct
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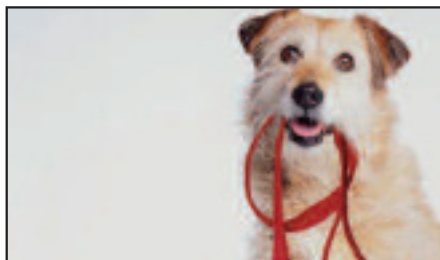


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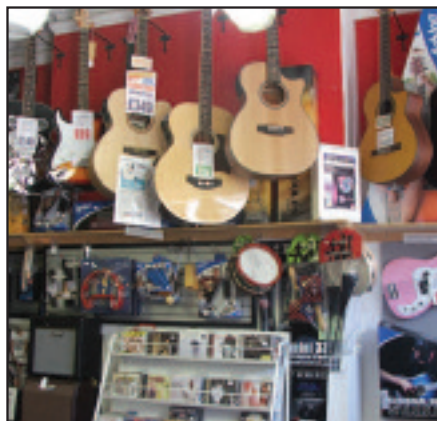
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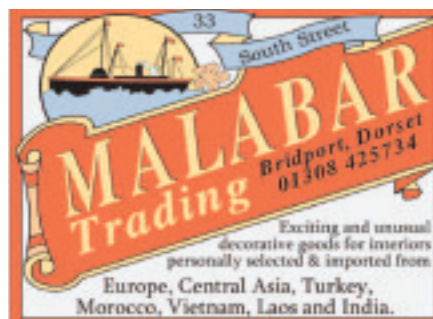
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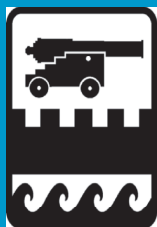


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When Wayne took the shop over it was named Tudor Hams, and this is still something the shop continues to specialise in. Cooked to a traditional recipe their gammons maintain that dry texture that is typical of a home cooked product.

Cheese is probably the biggest area in which they specialise with stock over 100 cheeses from Dorset Blue Vinny, the local unpasteurised famous blue cheese, to Gjetost a Norwegian caramelised mix of goats and cows milk. In addition to this they have at least ten goats cheeses and six sheep's cheeses always available, and around another 50 to order.

Their bread rolls are eight inch torpedo rolls and are baked fresh daily by the Dorset cake company. They are delivered fresh each morning along with their lardy cakes & Danish slabs often still warm to the touch. Their vast range of produce means that they really are blessed with being able to create some fantastic fillings for your rolls. Customers rave about the freshness and diversity of their take away lunch choice.

For over 14 years the fridge have also been selling these fantastic pies from Bridport. With Over 20 flavours their popularity is growing and they make a quick, easy and affordable meal using local ingredients.

Other products on offer include pickles, chutneys, preserves, biscuits, crisps, drinks, and much more quality produce bursting with freshness and flavour. They are also rapidly becoming well known for bespoke hampers. From package full of only Dorset cheeses to one full of only Italian goodies, we can produce a hamper of any size shape or cost to suit the recipients preferred palate.

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Regarding ourselves as a group of friends who like to experiment with many types of Indian Cuisine on a regular basis, I took it upon myself to organise a trip last Tuesday evening from Lyme Regis to Dorchester to experience the Rajpoot Indian Restaurant in Dorchester, and wow was it worth it!

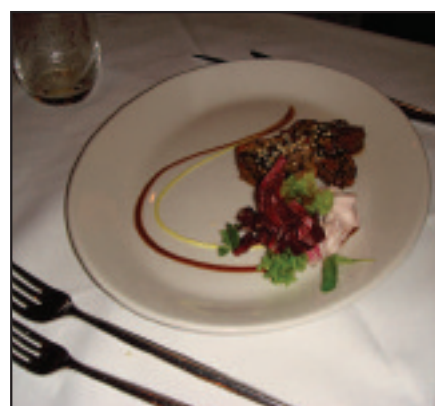
Ten of us made the journey and were treated to one of the most amazing dining experiences we could have hoped for. On arrival the fresh new look of the modern restaurant was what caught the eye, the waiting/bar area was mood lit with deep purple décor, water features, mirrored ceiling and comfy arm chairs where we sipped on cool, crisp Indian lagers before waiting for our party to congregate.

We were then shown through the deceptively long restaurant to our table that was laid to perfection, particularly taking note of the intricate details like the unique cutlery and crockery. The Menus were nicely presented with an extensive list of contemporary specials accompanied with some more traditional favourite dishes.

We happily munched on poppadums and chutneys, and bantered by daring each other to eat mouthfuls of lime pickle, but when the starters arrived and we all tucked in, a satisfying silence fell on our table. Truly some of the most mouth watering and succulent starters we had experienced.

As the evening unfolded we enjoyed every minute and the mains were also cooked to perfection. We mainly chose from the specials list, as these were all meals you wouldn't see on more conventional menus. I chose a marinated fillet steak on a bed of tandoori style mash and a side of spiced ocra, which was superb as it was an Indian twist on an English classic. Other meals chosen included Curried (whole) lobster and Chicken Shaslick with Saffron Rice.

The night was wrapped up with coffee and chocolates as everyone was too full for desert and the manager at the door bid us all a pleasant farewell as we left. All in all it was an evening to remember and I will no doubt be heading back to the Rajpoot very soon.





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The entire Walk will be decked out with bunting and flags and both entrances will be well signed with large banners. All this is being provided by the Weldmar Trust so will be in their colours and logos. Various shop units have donated to the entertainment fund for the day and have raised about £450. This fund is to pay for various musi-

cians who will be entertaining the public on the day. Many of the shops along the walk will be holding special activities to join in, as well as holding collections for The Weldmar Trust. Activities include free tasting of coffee, goodie bag distribution, raffles, a treasure hunt, fancy dress, special offers and much, much more.



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Recently Billy the Proprietor decided to combine the two and incorporate a significant fresh fish counter into the restaurant layout, giving his customers the chance to visually select their choice of fish and sit by and watch as it is prepared and cooked to their liking.

For example, why not pick and mix a fresh fish platter made up of prawns, scallops, calamari and lobster to be freshly prepared and served for a group of you to share.

You do not have to eat your pickings in the restaurant, the fresh fish counter operates as any other fish monger does and gives it's customers the opportunity to buy 'fruites de mer' over the counter and do the cooking bit at home or on the bbq.

The restaurant that Billy created now seats 36 and more if the venue is booked for private buffet parties. The business also has been known to cater for wedding parties, birthdays (with karaoke) and also special cook nights where you can (in small groups at a time) actually go into the kitchen and take part in the process of filleting and cooking the fish.

There are lunch and evening menus containing all fresh locally caught fish, meat and vegetarian options, vegetables which come, in particular, from Billy's father's allotment which adds to the friendly local feel of the business.

Lunch is served daily from 11-4pm and evening dinner from Thursday to Saturday from 7pm-late but Billy would like to make it clear that if you wish to book a table for an evening that is not advertised as open, the team will gladly open the restaurant to meet your needs. To book or make enquiries call 01305 757428 / 07709428389 or email billy.fresh@hotmail.co.uk

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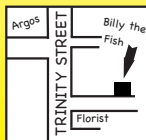
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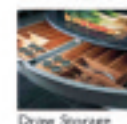


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There are four areas where you can eat with old world charm, two inside, a central section in a covered courtyard and a very pleasant garden out back. The small restaurant/wine bar is excellent for morning coffees right through to a full varied lunch menu. Ideal for families, you can choose from a range of light lunchtime snacks such as baguettes, sandwiches and jacket potatoes. Their hot chocolate with whippy cream and a flake is highly recommended.

Latest review of Napper's Mite on Google maps by Diane says, "We popped in here for lunch whilst on holiday in October. My husband, 16 month old child and I. Service was excellent and I had the best omelette that I have ever had. Highly recommend".

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Mud, Sweat and Gears participates in the popular "Cycle To Work" and "Bike To Work" schemes which have grown from a government initiative to promote healthier journeys to work and to reduce environmental pollution, not to mention saving a

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A new word in style for county town

A shop that mixes the work of Dorset designers with internationally famous names is the latest addition to Dorchester's buoyant retail scene.

Eureka is the second retail venture by entrepreneur Tim Altham, whose business until now has been in supplying quality retailers with stylish stationery and fashion accessories. The first Eureka store opened in September 2009 in Swanage.

Products at the Dorchester store include stationery and accessories from Designers Guild, beauty products from Drenched and Glamourflage in Australia, TOKYObay watches from San Francisco, stationery and ceramics from Cath Kidston and Nora jewellery from Norway (exclusive to Eureka).

Designers from Dorset are responsible for the shop's lively spread of greeting cards and wrappings, as well as the range of contemporary eco bags which, says Tim, are leading the field in colour and design.

He said: "We have produced the most ethical range of eco bags on the market. The content is entirely recycled, from old plastic bottles, and no one else is doing that with folding eco bags."

Eureka, Tim says, sets out to offer "an infusion of colour and design, across a whole range of products – as many as possible from Dorset designers."

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A visit to the shop may be of help if you are looking to find ideas of what could be included in your entry.

The entries will be judged and the winner will receive a £50 voucher redeemable on clothes or accessories in Victoria's Closet.

The winning contestant will be photographed with Victoria and the photo and the poster will appear in the View from Dorchester in three weeks time.



Apart from the £50 voucher Victoria will also make a £25 contribution to Help for Heroes.

All entries should be delivered to Victoria's Closet by August 20th.

Victoria is very keen to see the various entries and wishes everyone good luck.

Address forms, which should be stuck to the reverse side of the posters are available at Victoria's Closet, 31a Durngate Street, Dorchester, telephone 01305 260405.

VICTORIA (left) proprietor of Victoria's Closet in Durngate Street looks forward to welcoming you.



Cutting Edge at Dorset County Museum

If you haven't yet seen the fascinating new family exhibition at Dorset County Museum, there's still time to come along. **Cutting Edge** is all about the weird and wonderful history of human hair and is suitable for all the family. In it you'll find out all you ever wanted to know about human hair – and quite a few things you didn't!

To complement the exhibition there will be a hair-themed family activity every Wednesday morning in August. Running from 10.30am to 12.30 pm they cost just £3 per child per session. The next activity, on 11 August, is an exciting art workshop with popular artist Darrell Wakelam. Advance booking is advised for this session – for the others, just turn up on the day.

On Thursday 26 August visitors will enjoy a display of live tropical moths and butterflies from Butterfly World. This will accompany a book-signing by Professor Philip Howse of his fascinating new book on the wing patterns of butterflies and moths. More details to follow.

For those wanting more information about the Museum and its collections, why not join one of our new Museum tours? Taking place at 2.15pm every Tuesday afternoon until 31 August, these guided tours last approximately one hour. The cost of the tour is included in the admission price - book in advance to secure your place or take a chance and meet at the front desk 10 minutes before the tour.

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fantastic established traders to provide local people with variety and colour, as well as quality products and outstanding personal service. Durngate Street, which is just off of South Street, is a wonderful example of this in action.

Along this beautiful cobble street, you will find an inspiring range of independent traders.

Victoria's Closet is a unique fashion store, which is a must for everybody who has an interest in style and looking good. Their items range from new, to quality pre-worn and vintage. The shop caters for all ages, sizes and styles that vary from classic to one of a kind pieces. On the rails you will find items of everyday and evening wear from High Street favourites like Monsoon, along side labels from fashion giants such as Vivian Westwood, Armani, Karen Millen and Yves Saint Laurent. Where else would you be able to treat yourself to a Prada handbag at a fraction of its usual price?

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furniture, ornaments and planters in this unique style.

Fairprice is the perfect place to find an extensive range of products, most of which are priced at just £1. Their range includes toys, tools, house and garden items and products, pet products, food and drink, and much, much more. They celebrated their first year of trading this month, a testament

to their quality, outstanding prices, and great customer service.

Clockhouse Jewellers has been established in Dorchester since 1963 and is the oldest family run jewellers in the town. The business has two main elements of specialist repair of clock and jewellery, and sales of exquisite quality jewellery with expert advice to help you find that perfect

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Greg Cameron Day has been established in Dorchester, since 1976 where he has built up a strong reputation nationally as well as locally for Excellence in Professional Photography. Greg is qualified as a fellow of the Royal Photographic Soci-

ety the highest accolade that can be awarded by his peers in the photographic world. He is also an Associate of the Master Photographers Association. For a studio session or on location call Greg Cameron Day for expert advice.

Nicola and Gary Cutler and all at The Walnut Grove café go from strength to strength. The Walnut Grove offers a modern and traditional home cooked menu using locally sourced produce, with a fine wine menu to compliment each dish. It is also the ideal venue for a light bite at lunchtime, or a home-made cake with a cup of tea or coffee.

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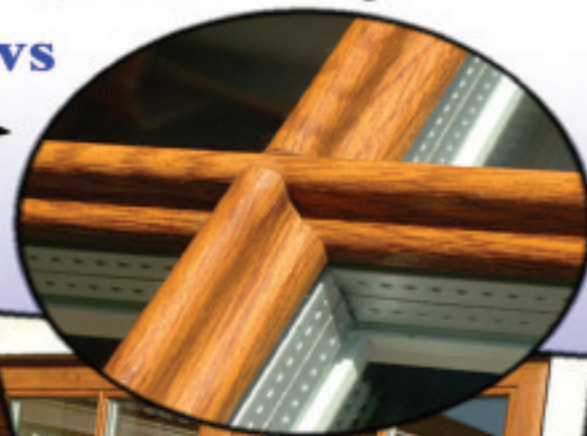
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View 2 Music

Third Camp Bestival
rocks the Castle again

THIS past weekend I made the relatively short journey from Lyme Regis to Lulworth Castle to enjoy Radio 1 DJ Rob Da Bank's Camp Bestival.

This was the third year the family friendly festival has taken place, and I've been lucky enough to go along to both of the previous events - and this year's offering was probably the best yet. The event promised headline acts including legends **George Clinton & Parliament/Funkadelic**, **The Human League**, **Madness**, plus relative newcomers **Friendly Fires** and comedian **Tim Minchin**.

Friday afternoon, with the sun shining kindly, began with a bang - **Example** got the crowd pumping with his electro hooks and short sharp raps, following a raucous DJ/dance set from the *Triple Threat* of Barry and Kevin Peters and Derek Japan. **Tinie Tempah**, arriving a little late as Example did before him, proceeded to whip up the crowds at the Castle Stage playing his biggest tunes including massive club anthem *Pass Out*. Later on in the Big Top local legend **Billy Bragg** played a trademark punk acoustic set, including a reworked cover of Bob Marley's *One Love*, and classics such as *A New England* and *Sexuality*.

We made our way to the main stage to catch **George Clinton** - the man behind some of the funkier tunes of all time. Even though he's approaching his seventies, the originator of p-funk brought the best of his two bands to Camp Bestival, playing music that you couldn't help but move to, with a guitar style bridging the gap between Jimi Hendrix and John Frusciante (formerly of the Red Hot Chili Peppers).

Friday also saw some incredible comedy from the like of the fabulously-moustached **Rufus Hound**, Camp Bestival regular **Andrew Maxwell**, potty-mouthed Aussie **Jim Jeffries**, and musical-comedy maestro **Tim Minchin**.

The beauty of the festival experience, as festival goes the world over will testify, is the discovery of something new and unexpected, which Camp Bestival offered in abundance - Saturday offered up the likes of **Hurts**, a wonderful 80s electro influenced duo, drawing comparisons to a more upbeat Joy Division, and **Lucky Elephant** - who were due to play last year but were rained off.

Mark E Smith's **The Fall** rocked up the Castle stage with their trademark growling alt. punk; current pop chart darling **Ellie Goulding** played a set of brilliantly crafted electro-folk songs; and **Lee 'Scratch' Perry** - one of the most influential men in reggae music's history - cranked out the dub reggae beats.

Awe-inspiring **DJ Yoda** wowed the crowds in the Big Top on Saturday evening with his audio/visual spectacular, before the day's main event - the nutty boys, **Madness**, bounced through their top hits, including *My Girl*, *Baggy Trousers* and their cover of Labi Siffre's *It Must Be Love*, to a much appreciating audience of all ages.

Sunday - the day of hangovers, sun burn and spectacular finales - offered up another exciting and eclectic line-up. **Chas and his Band** (that's Chas of & Dave fame) played through many of the duo's back catalogue as well as some rock 'n' roll standards, and following that it was time to chill out to the booming bass of **Mr Scruff**. Those scrumpy-swalling west country favourites **The Wurzels** ran through their sing-a-long cider anthems, before the run in of headliners on the Castle stage.

Scottish Electro-dance-pop hit-maker **Calvin Harris** had everybody ready for the weekend all over again, before synth pop legends **The Human League** played greatest hit after greatest hit, including *Don't you want me baby*, *Love Action* and *Mirror Man*.

The event was capped off with electro indie funk-sters **Friendly Fires**, whose euphoric dance funk, coupled with a superb light show, was a fitting musical finish to the weekend. They were a questionable selection as closing headliner before the festival, but after playing hits such as *Jump in the Pool*, *Lovesick* and *Kiss of Life*, they'd be welcomed back with open arms.

That left a simply breathtaking fireworks display on the wonderful castle itself to finish the Camp Bestival 2010 experience.

There's been some pretty negative press recently for music festivals, but rest assured, Camp Bestival is one-of-a-kind. The atmosphere is relaxed and a huge party all at once, and even though it's a 'family friendly' festival, don't be put off by the thought of loads of screaming kids. Young or old, kids or no kids, it's a top festival, and it's right on our doorsteps.

By Rob Larcombe



ELLIE GOULDING AT CAMP BESTIVAL | The crowds flocked in to see the BBC Sound of 2010 winner

FANTASTIC LINE-UP FOR AUGUST
PURCELLIANS CONCERT

THE concert at St Candida's Church in Whitchurch Canonico on Saturday, August 7th features brothers Noel Charles (piano) Leon Charles (organ), former organ scholars of Oriel College, Oxford and

St John's College, Cambridge respectively. It will also feature bass baritone Edwin Hawkes.

The Charles family have a great musical tradition. Hughie Charles, their grandfather, managed three careers in one life-

time, song plugger, theatrical producer and most significantly popular songwriter. Between the years 1936 and 1945 he wrote or collaborated on around 50 published songs, at least two of which have become acknowledged British "standards", "There'll Always be an England" and "We'll Meet Again".

Noel has a wide range of experience in ballet, conducting, organ and piano. He is now also a consultant and adviser for musicians and businesses. He plays for the top Ballet Schools in London, and has studied orchestral conducting with Neil Thompson at Royal College of Music. Noel attained a Postgraduate Diploma in Performance (Solo Piano Recitalist) from Royal College of Music 2002 - 2003 and Masters of Music from Royal College of Music 2003 - 2005, studying with Julian Jacobson. As well as playing for numerous vocal and instrumental performers, he is currently Assistant Organist at Christ Church, Winstead.

Leon received his early musical training at the Purcell School of Music where he studied Piano with Valeria Szervansky, in addition to working as Assistant Organist at Waltham Abbey Church. He then held Organ Scholarships at Canterbury Cathedral and St

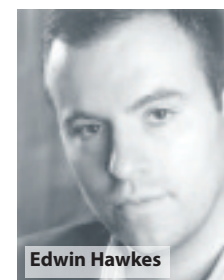
John's College, Cambridge, and accompanied the world famous choir on seven BBC Radio broadcasts. He graduated in 2008 with First-Class Honours in Music. For the academic year 2008-9, he held the Organ Scholarship at Westminster Abbey. He is currently Assistant Organist of St Pancras Church in London.

Léon is also in demand as a composer. Recent commissions and performances have included an anthem for the Commonwealth Day Observance service held at Westminster Abbey. He is also an active Writer Associate of the Mercury Musical Developments, and works extensively as assistant arranger and orchestrator for Morgan Pochin Music Productions, for clients including Decca, ITV, Classic FM and Renaissance Films Ltd, including a major new British feature film starring Richard E Grant and Sarah Brightman. Leon's programme for the concert on Saturday

includes pieces by Walton, JS Bach, Vienne, and Grainger.

Noel's half of the programme will feature pieces by Schumann and Dichterliebe, a song cycle for Voice and Piano on the Poems by Heinrich Heine with bass-baritone Edwin Hawkes. Edwin made his professional debut as a concert soloist whilst still an undergraduate at Oxford University, where he was a choral scholar, reading Modern History and Politics. He created the role of Cleopatra in John Caldwell's Opera/Oratorio Pascha Nostrum at Tewkesbury Abbey, a role that won him considerable critical acclaim ("A searingly delivered performance" - the Independent; "the powerful bass Edwin Hawkes..." - The Times.)

The concert starts at 7.30 pm and tickets are £7 each, available at the door. For further information call Cynthia Bain 01297 489629.



Edwin Hawkes



Noel Charles

Poetry for Pleasure

by Frank McGarry

MOST of us have a zest for life and are still making plans for the future. But even if we are a little weary of the struggle we don't want to die just yet. Sometimes, however, people do reach the point that they are ready to go. Robert Friend (1913-1998) only had time to write three lines.

My Cup

*They tell me I am going to die.
Why don't I seem to care?
My cup is full. Let it spill.*

This satirical, cold verse by Dorothy Parker injects some humour into the suicide debate.

Résumé

*Razors pain you;
Rivers are damp;
Acids stain you;
And drugs cause cramp.
Guns aren't lawful;
Nooses give;
Gas smells awful;
You might as well live.*

This poem by the American Edwin Arlington Robinson is about the folly of envy as well as about taking one's life.

Richard Cory

*Whenever Richard Cory went down town,
We people on the pavement looked at him:
He was a gentleman from sole to crown,
Clean favored, and imperially slim.*

And he was always quietly arrayed,

*And he was always human when he talked;
But still he fluttered pulses when he said,
"Good-morning," and he glittered when he walked.*

*And he was rich - yes, richer than a king -
And admirably schooled in every grace:
In fine, we thought that he was everything
To make us wish we were in his place.*

*So on we worked, and waited for the light,
And went without the meat, and cursed the bread;
And Richard Cory, one calm summer night,
Went home and put a bullet through his head.*

The poet, Edward Thomas, was given to moods of great depression and had once attempted suicide. In the end he was killed by a German shell and not by his own hand. He died at Arras in the Great War in 1917. Less than a year earlier, whilst still in England, he wrote Rain.

Rain

*Rain, midnight rain, nothing but the wild rain
On this bleak hut, and solitude, and me
Remembering again that I shall die
And neither hear the rain nor give it thanks
For washing me cleaner than I have been
Since I was born into this solitude.
Blessed are the dead that the rain rains upon;
But here I pray that none whom I once loved
Is dying to-night or lying awake
Solitary, listening to the rain,
Either in pain or thus in sympathy
Helpless among the living and the dead,*

*Like a cold water among broken reeds,
Myriads of broken reeds all still and stiff,
Like me who have no love which this wild rain
Has not dissolved except the love of death,
If love it be for what is perfect and
Cannot, the tempest tells me, disappoint.*

Our closing poem is by Gavin Ewart, who Larkin described as "an astonishing, unstoppable talent".

One for the Anthologies

*Herbert's a hard and horrid man
And so am I.
He does as much harm as he can
And so do I.
He wastes the time of Institutes
And spends his nights with prostitutes,
And so do I.*

*Wilfred's a weak and weary man
And so am I.*

*He's always been an also-ran
And so have I.
He's been defeated all his life,
Too tired to end it with a knife -
And so am I.*

*David's a dense and drunken man
And so am I.*

*He's fond of glass and mug and can
And so am I.*

*When these sad dogs have had their day
They'll all be glad to go away
And so will I.*

If you have a short poem of your own that you would like to share with our readers please send it to: "Poetry for Pleasure", Lyme Media & Events Ltd, St Michael's Business Centre, Lyme Regis, Dorset, DT7 3QF. Or e-mail it to us at: pemedi@pemedi.co.uk

THE DAMNED COME TO BRIDPORT

SINCE the release of their debut album, Damned, Damned, Damned in 1977, The Damned have epitomized the genre of British punk rock with their catalogue of unique records and notorious live shows. They introduced America to UK punk for the first time with their ground breaking US tour in 1977, instantly earning them a firm spot in a short list of innovators.

They have incorporated numerous styles into their music and image, including: garage rock, psychedelic rock, cabaret, and the theatrical rock of Screaming Lord Sutch and Alex Harvey. Lead singer Dave Vanian's vocal style has been described as similar to a crooner. The Damned have dissolved and reformed many times. The current line-up includes Vanian, Captain Sensible, Monty Oxy Moron, Pinch and Stu West.

Supporting The Damned are psychobilly/ska group 'Boot Hill All Stars' and also Welsh two piece 'Clay Statues'. Similar to The White Stripes (but with two guys), Clay Statues are a rock drum and bass duo.

Catch The Damned plus Clay Statues and Boot Hill All

Stars at the Electric Palace, Bridport on Thursday 19th August. Tickets are on sale now from Bridport Tourist Information Centre for £16.50 - Telephone 01308 424901. Doors open 8pm.



Art exhibition during Burton Bradstock Music Festival

FOR the past five years, the well-established Burton Bradstock Music Festival has been enhanced by an exciting exhibition of paintings, textiles, ceramics, craft work and greetings cards. This exhibition was first staged in 2005 when a few artists were invited to brighten up the Village Hall during the week of the Music Festival. Ticket holders could admire the paintings while enjoying their interval drinks. This first exhibition was a great success and many paintings were sold.

Since its conception, and now in its sixth year, this unique event has grown in both size and quality. Over 150 original works of art by more than 60 artists from throughout the West Country, both amateur and professional, are shown. Held in the Burton Bradstock Village Hall, this exhibition is open to the public for a whole week and is well worth a visit.

The exhibition is open each day from Saturday, August 14th until Saturday, August 21st, 10am to 4pm, closing at noon on Saturday 21st



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View 2 TV

I'm A Celebrity still scraping the barrel

I'M A CELEBRITY... | COMIC duo The Chuckle Brothers have been approached by ITV bosses who want them to appear on I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here. Rumour has it that the channel has ploughed so much money into producing the show in High Definition that they can no longer afford big name celebs and are faced with the prospect of a Z list line-up. A show spokesman said, "High definition will really make a difference because we'll be getting up close and personal to all those creepy crawlies. But obviously when large amounts of cash are being spent on one area then there have to be a few cut-backs in other areas."

EMMERDALE | ACTOR Lyndon Ogbourne says he's happy to get told off by viewers who hate his Emmerdale character Nathan Wylde. Speaking to the Daily Record he explained: "I get quite a lot of abuse. I went to Glastonbury and I was getting a fair amount of abuse, saying I was nasty and to leave off my mum. People love to hate Nathan and I love it. He's one of the most evil characters in soap and it's great to be given the chance to play him. Being abused on the street is like a reward for doing a good job. It's better to have comments than not having any at all. I wouldn't want to be a nice character or someone who props up the bar."

CORONATION STREET | CORONATION Street star Vicky Entwistle has sensationally quit the show last night after a row with boss Phil Collinson. The actress, who has played loudmouth Janice Battersby for 13 years, has apparently had a fractious relationship with Collinson since he took over the show's reigns and stormed out of a production meeting last week in an argument over her character's storylines.

SIMPLY RED TRIBUTE CONCERT | ITV bosses are planning a celebrity packed concert to celebrate the career of Mick Hucknall's band Simply Red. The band are splitting after 25 years in the business and the channel is set to give them one last televised farewell. A host of special guests, alongside the carrot-topped front man himself, will take to the stage to perform hits such as Holding Back The Years and Something's Got Me Started.

DON'T STOP BELIEVING | CHANNEL Five's answer to The X Factor is the biggest TV flop of the year pulling in a paltry 587,000 viewers on Sunday night, despite a lavish £6million budget. According to The Mirror viewers have blasted the sub-standard production, bland judges and poor presenting on the part of former Spice Girl Emma Bunton. The criticism comes at a time when the channel slumped to its lowest prime-time audience shares for a Sunday, since 1998.

by Rob Larcombe

Donkey walks and picnics in Beaminster

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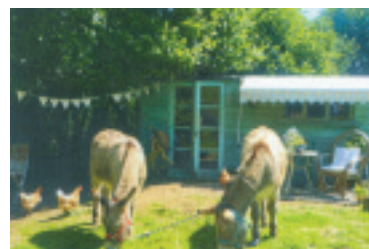
dered valley centre, especially during school holidays.

Sorry only places in August left for this activity on the 24th and 26th.

For enquiries and more information, please contact Susan and Chris Brancher on 01308 862045.

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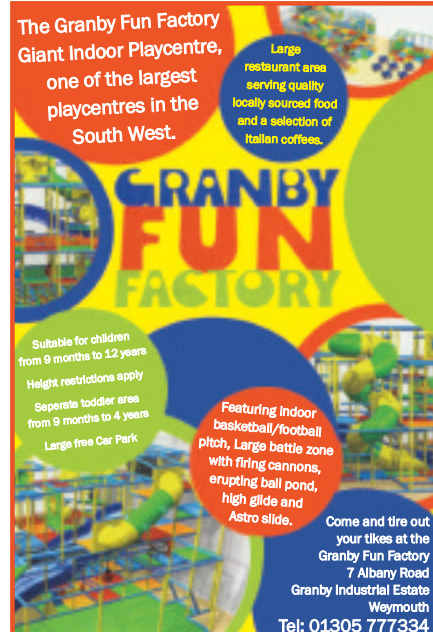
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The 3D film includes voice stars Christina Applegate, Bette Midler, Tobey Maguire and Alec Baldwin to name a few, and is sure to have the children in stitches.



UNITED SPECIES | Cats and Dogs unite to take on the evil Kitty Galore

CAMERON Diaz and Tom Cruise star in action comedy ***Knight and Day*** (12A).

The film follows rogue spy Roy Miller (Cruise) and car restorer June Havens (Diaz), whose paths get mixed up in the airport when the FBI mistakenly believe June to be working with the spy.

When Roy is attacked by agents on the plane, kills everyone on board and crash lands the plane, June finds herself wanted alongside him and her life is flipped upside-down during their action-packed escape plans. Released Friday, August 6th

THIRD in the popular dance film series Step Up comes ***Step Up 3D*** (12A). Directed by Jon Chu, the film follows a tight-knit group of New York street dancers who team up with freshman from NYU to take on the world's best hip-hop dancers in a high-stake showdown.

The film is available to watch with impressive 3D graphics but will also be screened at 2D cinemas.

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Released Friday, August 6th

by Francesca Evans



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Daily: 11.45am

The A-Team (12A)

Daily: 13.50, 16.45, 19.30

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New Bond St, Weymouth
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Inception (12A)

Fri-Tue: 14.20, 17.30, 19.40,

20.40

Wed & Thu: 17.30, 19.40, 20.40

Shrek Forever After 2D (U)

Fri-Tue: 11.45, Wed & Thu: 10.30

The A-Team (12A)

Fri-Tue: 10.30, 13.00, 15.40,

18.20, 21.00

Wed & Thu: 13.00, 15.40, 18.20,

21.00

The Karate Kid (PG)

Daily: 11.15, 14.15, 17.15, 20.15

The Twilight Saga - Eclipse

(12A)

Daily: 19.50

Toy Story 3 in 3D (U)

Daily: 11.10, 13.40, 15.40, 18.15,

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Galore 2D (U)

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Cats & Dogs: Revenge of Kitty

Galore 3D (U)

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Knight and Day (12A)

Fri-Tue: 12.00, 14.30, 17.00,

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Step Up 3D (12A)

Fri-Tue: 10.40, 13.10, 16.10,

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Wed & Thu: 13.10, 16.10, 18.40,

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How To Train Your Dragon 2D

(PG)

Sat: 10.20

Nanny McPhee & The Big

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FRIDAY AUGUST 6TH

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SATURDAY AUGUST 7TH

BRADPOLE: Prize Bingo at Bradpole Social Club, doors open 7.15pm, eyes down 8pm.

BRIDPORT: Concert at St Mary's Church in South Street by Peter Jezard, called "The Organist's Summer Shorts". Lunches, £4, start at 12.30pm, music from 1pm. Telephone 01308 423424 for more details.

SUNDAY AUGUST 8TH

WEST BAY, BRIDPORT: Pirates Day from midday - 5pm. At the Salt House, Fisherman's Green, Harbour Green and East Beach (5pm for tug o'war), promoted by West Bay Websites - fundraising for Julia's House and the Dorset Children's Hospice and other participating charities. Telephone 01308 459 854 for more details.

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WEDNESDAY AUGUST 11TH

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FRIDAY AUGUST 13TH

BRIDPORT: Fund raising bar-b-que for on goinf repairs at St Swithun's Church. 6-8pm. Tickets £5 adults, £2.50 children. All welcome. Telephone 01308 458972 for more details.

BRIDPORT: Ultimate Pop Quiz at the Woodman Inn, 6.15pm for 7pm start. Great prizes, cash jackpot. Teams of 4 (£4 per person). Space limited so book now. Email cuesheetbj@gmail.com or call 07778 264803

SATURDAY AUGUST 14TH

BRIDPORT: Vinyl Saturday. Rock concert plus records and cds for sale in many shops, market stalls and The Ropemakers Pub. 10am - 4pm. Telephone 0788 239 2508 for more details.

SOUTH PERROTT: Flower Festival in St Mary's Church from 2 -5pm. BBQ plus beer and cider festival in the coach and horses from 6pm. Telephone 01935 891224 for more information.

BRADPOLE: Live music from 'One Night Stand'. At Bradpole Social Club, doors open 7.30pm, over 18s only.

BRIDPORT: Concert at St Mary's Church in South Street by Dan Shackell, Sue Smith and Chloe Evans-Lippett playing "The Great American Songbook". Lunches, £4, start at 12.30pm, music from 1pm. Telephone 01308 423424 for more details.

SUNDAY AUGUST 15TH

SOUTH PERROTT: Village Open Day plus beer and cider festival from 11am - 5pm. Telephone 01935 891224 for more details.

BRIDPORT: Classic Car Meeting with Classic Breakfast in aid of Cancer Research at St Mary's Primary School from 10am - 1pm. £5 per person. Telephone 01308 488241 for more details.

BRIDPORT: Record & CD Fair 11 till 4 at the Ropemakers Pub, West Street. Telephone 0788 239 2508

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 18TH

SOUTH PERROTT: A stroll down memory lane, meet at Village Hall at 6.30pm. Contact 01935 891224 for more details.

THURSDAY AUGUST 19TH

BRIDPORT: Carnival Darts at Bridport Conservative Club from 7.30pm. £6 per team. 3 a side, 1 pair, best of 3 legs. Mens and ladies competitions. Entry on the night or contact 01308 458192.

FRIDAY AUGUST 20TH

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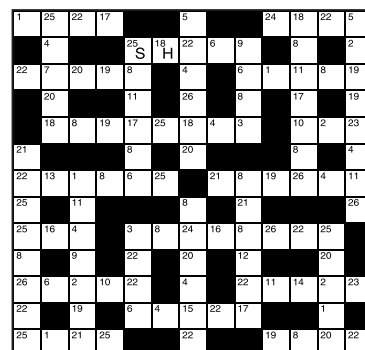
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CODEWORD

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



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WORD SQUARE

Using the central letter and at least three others, how many words can you find? Plurals, proper nouns and hyphenated words are not allowed, and there is at least one 9-letter word.

20 words = OK,
30 words = Good,
40 words = Great,
50+ words = Excellent.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION: SPAGHETTI



CROSSWORD

Across

7. Encompassing boundary (13)
8. Stair rail (8)
9. Helps (4)
10. Volcano mouth (6)
12. Complete (6)
14. Banquets (6)
16. Reaping hook (6)
18. Motor-cab (4)
20. Public (8)
22. Ignominious (13)

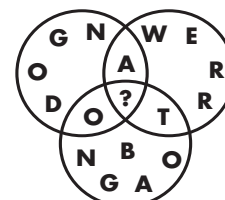
Down

1. Differ (8)
2. Handwriting (6)
3. Give out (4)
4. Intrepid (8)
5. Leave (6)
6. Frozen (4)
11. Resounding (8)
13. Trustworthy (8)
15. Slender (6)
17. Of a choir (6)
19. Parched (4)
21. Tense (4)

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION: Across: 1 Delf; 8 Intoxicate; 9 Increase; 10 Iris; 12 Vision; 14 Drowsy; 15 Dapper; 17 Boyish; 18 Veto; 19 Fidgeted; 21 Accentuate; 22 Need. Down: 2 Emancipate; 3 Tier; 4 Strain; 5 Excess; 6 Acronymy; 7 Lees; 11 Insistence; 13 Improper; 16 Refute; 17 Bedlam; 18 Veal; 20 Even.

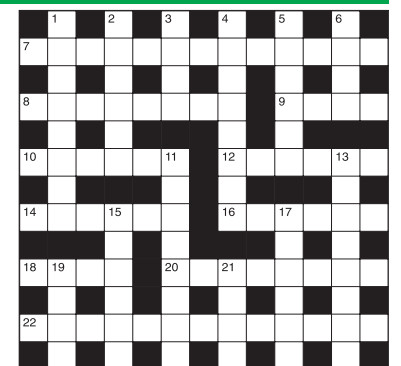
CIRCLEGRAM

Replace the question mark with a letter so that the letters within each circle can be re-arranged to form words with a common theme. What are the three words, and the letter represented by the question mark?



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION: The letter represented by the question mark is C. Scorsese, Pollack, Kubrick, all U.S. film directors.

No. 076



SUDOKU

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all of the numbers from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

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EASY

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JOIN LARRY AND LUCY THE LADYBIRDS AT BURTON BRADSTOCK CHURCH FETE

LARRY and Lucy, a couple of giant ladybirds, had heard on the grapevine that gardens and gardening were providing the theme for this year's Church Fete in Burton Bradstock. They soon rounded up some of their fellow ladybirds and butterfly friends and, having spotted some magnificent blooms, landed in the village just before term ended at the Burton Bradstock CE VC Primary School. Some of the children were there to welcome Larry and Lucy and they made them feel very much at home.

As the bright yellow posters advertising the Fete along the byways and lanes leading to Burton Bradstock show, there will be a trillion things to play, to buy, to read, to eat and to enjoy. The lady-

birds and butterflies are particularly looking forward to the Punch and Judy show and listening to the St Swithun's Band.

Whilst viewing the magnificent display of floral arrangements in the Church, as part of A Celebration of Flowers, why not climb the tower and see the surrounding countryside?

All monies raised go towards the Church Fabric Fund.

Join Larry and Lucy and their friends for an action-packed afternoon in the Rectory Garden on Thursday, August 5th from 2 - 5 pm.

A Fete not to be missed!

For more information call 07786 354 403



LADYBIRDS | 'Larry' and 'Lucy' pictured with Burton Bradstock Primary School pupils

Health and wellbeing day

NUTRITRAIN Southwest in Weymouth will be holding a day of Health and Wellbeing on Saturday, August 14th in aid of Cancer Active

The day will start with Chi Gung at 10 - 10.30am in the training room or even outside if the sun is shining! This is simple Chinese exercises suitable for all to improve the flow of energy (chi) through the body. With Garry Andrews.

The following treatments and therapies are available throughout the day:

Reflexology

10am-12pm with Julie Caswell

Vitamin and Mineral Analysis/dietary advice

12pm-1pm with Claire Whiles

Reiki and Crystal Healing

1pm-3pm with Sarah Bradshaw

Palmistry readings

11am-12.30 and 2pm-4.15pm with Emma Leverton

The Dorn Method for joint and back care

11am-2pm with Garry Andrews.

Life Coaching - Your Wheel of Life

11am - 4pm with Jane Pardoe.

The following talks, held in the Conference Room opposite the centre, will run through the day:

Crystals for Healing

with Helen Martin at 11am

Reiki - healing power in your hands

with Sarah Bradshaw at 12pm

Palmistry - a map of your mind

with Emma Leverton at 1pm

The Healing Power of Food

with Claire Whiles at 2pm

Tarot - an introduction

with Garry Andrews at 3pm

The day will conclude with Yoga and Meditation from 4.30 - 5pm with Sarah Bradshaw in the training room, or outside if the sun is shining!

Arts Centre to get a face lift

The first phase of Bridport Art Centre's redevelopment begins on Monday, August 9th. Dorset firm Jordan and Faber will be undertaking the work which will include repainting the façade, restoring it to its original 1830s colours, re-laying the paving stones and generally smartening up the building.

Director Lindsay Brooks said, "We are very aware that the Arts Centre not only plays a key role culturally but also architecturally in Bridport. The building has not been redecorated for several years so is certainly showing its age. We're so grateful that our fundraising has been supported so generously, enabling us to create a smarter forecourt area."

Following the original appearance in 1830s engravings, Arts Centre staff have decided to remove the planting areas so the forecourt can become a more open, useable space for Bridport. They will be recycling the plants already there and are working with the Town Council and the Community Orchard to create and plant some mobile containers from recycled timber. The rejuvenated Arts Centre will be ready in time for the Arts Centre members party on Sunday, September 26th.

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Externally a gravelled driveway provides parking and in turn leads to a large detached double garage. There are formal landscaped gardens, extensive sunny patio, vegetable garden and adjoining paddock of approximately 3.75 acres. The property should be viewed to fully appreciate this accommodation and location.

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Surprisingly large cottage in an area of outstanding beauty

THIS surprisingly large cottage is situated in the thriving West Dorset village of Thorncombe in an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty with countryside and walks in every direction. The property was the former village bakery until the 1950's when it became a residence.

The accommodation offers four double bedrooms, one with en-suite bathroom, 3 reception rooms, very spacious kitchen/dining room and conservatory, with

the added bonus of a large floored loft with Velux windows and lighting, making a fantastic hobby area. Outside, there is plenty of parking, an open-fronted workshop, lovely gardens and pretty views of the surrounding countryside. The property is charming with a well documented history and situated in catchment for the Woodroffe secondary school. The property is offered to the market with an asking price of £390,000.

Thorncombe Village lies in the far western corner of Dorset close to the borders with Somerset and Devon. The nearest towns are Chard (5 miles), Crewkerne (6 miles) and Axminster (8 miles) and the seaside town of Lyme Regis is just 10 miles to the south. The area has been designated as one of Outstanding Natural Beauty and the village itself has a very strong community with many local clubs on offer. The village facilities include a community run shop and post office,

a Church and a Chapel, a Primary School in the Woodroffe pyramid and very active village hall. To find out more, please visit www.thorncombe.com.

There are plenty of walks available from the doorstep and the famous Forde Abbey and gardens is just a mile down the road. Please contact Gordon & Rumsby for more information or to book a viewing on 01297 553768 or 01460 30888.



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A modern 2 bed house, popular cul-de-sac development, close to the town, lounge, kitchen / diner, bathroom, attractive good sized garden, 2 off street parking, d/glazing, unfurnished, close to town.

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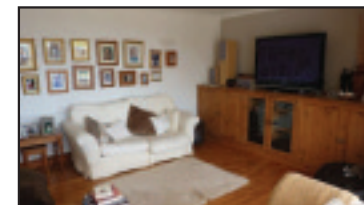
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LYME REGIS - £625,000



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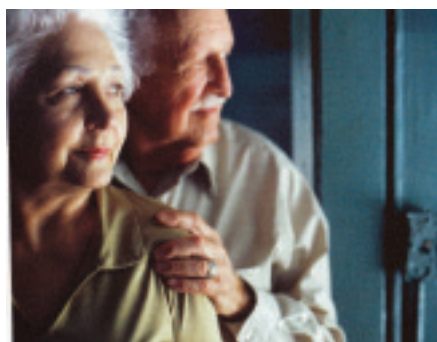
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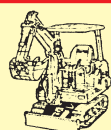
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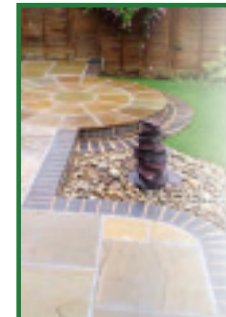
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The most obvious changes have been made to the frontal aspect of X-TRAIL which emphasise a feeling of integration to the car body, with a completely redesigned grille, headlights and bumper assembly. Directly from the front, the more sophisticated, technical appearance makes the car look more dynamic. The grille is of higher quality and flows down into the bumper assembly. The lower part of the bumper is angled outwards, suggesting a wider track and more solid stance.

The overall feeling from the front expresses the sense of unity to the top and bottom. The grille retains the twin angled struts either side of the Nissan logo, which is a signature found on Nissan's SUV range globally.

The lights are sleeker and more technical in appearance, with either Xenon or halogen projectors (depending on grade) for the main lights and halogen parabole for the high beam. The indicators remain integrated in the assembly above the headlights. The background to the headlamps is painted black on all grades and fog lamps are mounted below the headlights, recessed in the bumper.

At the rear, the X-TRAIL's distinctive vertical lights have been updated to incorporate LED light technol-

ogy for the running lights and braking, improving visibility and, therefore, safety. The indicator is incorporated into the lower portion of the light assembly, with the running/brake lights to the outside of it.

In profile, the X-TRAIL's stance has been improved thanks to an increase in wheel size, with a ten-spoke 18" alloy wheel design, which is also wider, now up to 225/55/18 in size giving X-Trail even more stance to the road. The small increase in tyre width has led to a slight widening of the wheelarch moulding, which adds a little extra presence to the X-TRAIL's stance.

There is also a new double five-spoke design of 17" wheel, giving an added premium feeling to the X-TRAIL Acenta.

X-TRAIL's dimensions have slightly changed as a result of the exterior updates; the overall length has increased by 10mm as a result of the redesigned front end, while the height and width also increase by 10mm due to the increase in tyre width and diameter.

Moving to the interior, the design has been updated to give a more harmonious ambience thanks to improved materials and better colour coordination, in particular, the area around the base of the A-pillar.

The materials used for the switch surrounds on the steering wheel, around the gear selector and on the door-mounted armrest have all been improved for better touch feeling, while thicker, soft-touch materials have been chosen for the cloth seats.

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SPEEDWAY

Bekker stars in Wildcats' tussle with Islanders

Friday, 30th July 30th
National LeagueWEYMOUTH 49
ISLE OF WIGHT 40

WEYMOUTH Weyline Wildcats picked up their game after suffering their biggest defeat of the season 60-32 last Tuesday on the Isle of Wight with a solid 49-40 win against the Islanders last night [Friday] at the Wessex Stadium.

Never more than five points separated the two south coast rivals until heat 14, where the Wildcats pairing of Chessell and Cottham combined for a 5-1 to win the meeting and three league points.

Adam McKinna combined with Byron Bekker for an opening heat 5-1 over Islander Nick Simmons before Richard Andrews took the flag from Tom Hill after Luke Chessell fell on the third bend third lap,

with Dean Felton's subsequent retirement this put the Cats 8-3 up. Three shared heats followed, the Islanders taking the flag on each occasion, ex-Cat Lee Smethills took heat three

from Gary Cottham and Tom Brown, Ben Hopwood got the better of James Cockle with Chessell third in heat four.

The most experienced racer in the National league Dean Felton took the re-run heat five from a hard pressing Cottham and Brown following Simmons first lap third turn fall.

The Islanders battled back in heats six and seven, a heat advantage for Hopwood who kept Bekker in second, the only time a visitor defeated him all evening and Hill in third in the re-run heat six after McKinna was handed a 15 metre handicap for breaking the tapes. Warwick pegged back Cockle with Smethills in third in heat seven to close the scores to 21-20. Two more shared heats followed, McKinna headed Simmons and Felton in heat 8 after

passing both Islanders round the outside for the win. Hopwood took his third win of the night ahead of Brown and Cottham in heat 9.

Wildcats stepped up a gear with two more heat advantages, Bekker and McKinna had Smethills pegged between them in heat 10 after Bekker took the inside line past Smethills on the third turn third lap.

Simmons split Cockle and Andrews in heat 11 with the Wildcats moving into a five point lead 35-30. Two more shared heats Brown taking his only win of the night ahead of Smethills and Felton while Bekker took his second win, this time over Simmons and Hopwood with the rain starting to fall in heat 13.

Heat 14 saw the Wildcats pair of Chessell and Cottham bang in a 5-1 and win the second league meeting on the trot on home shale.

Bekker finished off in style in heat 15 heading Hopwood after a super inside move on the second turn second lap with Simmons third after McKinna fell on the second lap forcing a re-run heat to give a final meeting result of 49-40.

Wildcats Chairman Phil Bartlett said after the meeting: "What a fantastic meeting it was, and to beat the Isle of Wight and turn them over after going to the Island and getting severe defeat earlier in the week. It was good to see Byron back on form and to winning ways, with Adam slotting into the team well and a much improved showing from the whole team.

We now have to look forward next Friday's visitors King's Lynn Young Stars and on Saturday at Newport for the National League Best Pairs where Byron and James will represent the Wildcats."

If you are able to display an A4 poster to help promote Weymouth Speedway there is a downloadable poster available on the homepage of the clubs website www.weymouthwildcats.co.uk

WEYMOUTH WEYLINE WILDCATS

1. Byron Bekker (2*-2-3-3-3) 13+1
2. Adam McKinna (3-0-3-1) 7
3. Tom Brown (C) (1*-1*-2-3-FX) 7+2
4. Gary Cottham (2-2-1*-2*) 7+2
5. James Cockle (2-2-3-0) 7
6. Richard Andrews (3-0-1-0) 4
7. Luke Chessell (X-1*-0-3) 4+1

Team manager: Phil Bartlett

ISLE OF WIGHT WIGHTLINK ISLANDERS

1. Nick Simmons (C) (1-FX-2-2-1*) 6+1
2. Rider Replacement for Brendan Johnson
3. Lee Smethills (3-1-2-2-2) 10
4. Danny Warwick (0-3-0-1) 4
5. Ben Hopwood (3-3-3-1*-2) 12+1
6. Dean Felton (0-R-3-1*-0-1*) 5+2

7. Tom Hill (2-FX-1-0-0) 3

8. Marc Andrews DNR

Team manager: Chris Hunt & Kevin Shepherd

REFEREE: Dave Watters

GATE POSITIONS: Wildcats won the coin toss and took gates 1 & 3

HEAT DETAILS:

Ht 1: McKinna, Bekker, Simmons, Felton, 53.6, 5-1 (5-1)

Ht 2: Andrews, Hill, Felton (Ret), Chessell (Exc), 55.3, 3-2 (8-3)

Ht 3: Smethills, Cottham, Brown, Warwick, 54.4, 3-3 (11-6)

Ht 4: Hopwood, Cockle, Chessell, Hill (f.exc), 53.6, 3-3 (14-9)

Ht 5: (re-run) Felton, Cottham, Brown, Simmons (F.exc), 55.6, 3-3 (17-12)

Ht 6: (re-run) Hopwood, Bekker, Hill, McKinna (T.exc15), 54.2, 2-4 (19-16)

Ht 7: Warwick, Cockle, Smethills, Andrews, 54.4, 2-4 (21-20)

Ht 8: McKinna, Smethills, Felton, Chessell, 55.4, 3-3 (24-23)

Ht 9: (re-run) Hopwood, Brown, Cottham, Felton, 54.7, 3-3 (27-26)

Ht 10: Bekker, Smethills, McKinna, Warwick, 54.7, 4-2 (31-28)

Ht 11: Cockle, Simmons, Andrews, Hill, 54.8, 4-2 (35-30)

Ht 12: Brown, Smethills, Felton, Andrews, 55.4, 3-3 (38-33)

Ht 13: Bekker, Simmons, Hopwood, Cockle, 54.8, 3-3 (41-36)

Ht 14: Chessell, Cottham, Warwick, Hill (F.rem), 55.0, 5-1 (46-37)

GATE POSITIONS: Islanders won the coin toss and took gates 1 & 3

Ht 15: (re-run) Bekker, Hopwood, Simmons, Brown (F.exc), 55.7, 3-3 (49-40)

August fixtures: Fri 6th - National League - King's Lynn 'Young Stars' - H,
Sat 7th - NatLeague Best Pairs - Newport Speedway 2.30pm - A,

Fri13th - Nat League - Mildenhall Fen Tigers - H tbc,
Sun 15th - Nat League - Newport Speedway - A,

Fri 20th - Nat League Trophy - Plymouth Devils - A,
Sat 21st - Nat League Trophy - Plymouth Devils - H,

Wed 25th - Nat League - Dudley Heathens - A,
Fri 27th - Nat League - Newport Hornets - H,

Sun 29th - National League - Buxton Hitmen - A,
Tues 31st - National League Trophy - IOW 'Islanders' - A

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Stat leaders: 180s; Terry Prowse 14, Derek Pratley 9, Tony Young 3. Highest finish: Derek Pratley (154).

TABLE	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Terry Prowse	20	19	1	0	79	7	39
Tony Young	17	15	0	2	60	19	30

Derek Pratley	17	12	4	1	60	17	28
Nigel Druce	18	12	2	4	59	29	26
Ray Powell	15	9	3	3	50	25	21
Ben Coath	19	9	2	8	47	47	20
Jay Pearce	19	7	3	9	41	53	17
Chip Davis	20	6	4	10	46	59	16
Nigel Bell	19	5	9	43	57	15	15
Luke Lawrence	16	5	1	10	29	50	11
Cheryl White	14	3	3	8	23	45	9
Luke Street	19	2	4	13	28	68	8
Phil Street	18	1	4	13	22	64	6
Lisa Prowse	19	1	2	13	24	71	4

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LYME REGIS BOWLS

WITH PAUL MOFFITT

LYME SCRAPE NARROW WIN IN DERBY-GAME WITH BRIDPORT

IN a week when the men's B team and the ladies league team were resting, it was good fortune for the two league teams playing.

The Championship side snaffled all 10 points at home to Westmoors whilst the A team took eight points at home to Bridport.

In a very busy week for the Club on the friendlies front, it was mixed fortunes with a heavy defeat against against Cardiff in the annual match.

Results:
Dorset Men's Championship:
Lyme 67: Westmoors 38.
R Richardson, C Barber, K Hickman, P Moffitt 22-14; G Stockley, D Meylan, P Eagles, M Preston 26-13; J Eaton, S Pomeroy, B Rattenbury, P Pomeroy 19-11.

West Dorset Men Division One
Lyme A 60 Bridport 57.

M Knight, P Stephens, D Pomeroy, B Parsons 15-18; M Thorne, G Clode, J Beadsley, D Perry 22-19; M Clark, L Street, T Allman, J Wells 23-20.

Having looked at the scorecards for this game it would appear that two of the Lyme rinks played their get out of jail cards towards the end!

Friendlies:

Lyme 149 Cardiff 181.

D Read, B Downes, H Dowling, K Clissold 25-13; J Beavis, D Courtenay-Smith, B Parsons, G Cozens 12-27; A Rattenbury, R McLennan, N Benson, D Meylan 21-20; T Payne, J Parsons, R Hobbs, N Stephens 16-23; P Cole, M Bartlett, D Wood, John Wells 16-24; Y Moody, S Dowling, Jill Wells, C Clissold 23-18; V Cozens, S Applebee, A Preece, Chas Barber 17-27; Doris Read, P Stephens, R Moody, Chris Barber 17-24.
Lyme Men 73 Seaton 62.

A Lole, P Stephens, G Clode, J Wells 19-18; R McLennan, A Preece, K Fountaine 17-11; T Payne, R Carnan, D Wood, G Cozens 13-19; J Andrews, B Turpin, R Cridge, C Clissold 24-14.

Lyme Ladies 49 Westlands 54.

H Dowling, K Smith, J Wells 16-20; V Cozens, Y Moody, C Barber 21-12; P Cole, D Courtenay-Smith, K Clissold 12-22.

Lyme 93 Cheltenham 96.

T Coldrick, T Poyner, J Beadsley, E Skeemer 15-19; A Lole, K Smith, R Winterborne, R Edwards 27-17; J Andrews, P Stephens, E Rodgers, K Clissold 12-22; C Clissold, G Clode, N Stephens, G Cozens 16-15; G Broom, R Turpin, A Preece, S Rowe 23-23.

Lyme 106 South Petherton 117.

B Burton, T Poyner, R Moody, K Clissold 14-28; C Clissold, J Beadsley, J Kesterton, Chas Barber 20-15;

P Cole, A Preece, E Rodgers, John Wells 21-17; J York, J Parsons, R Edwards, B Collier 15-23; Y Moody, R Cridge, G Cozens, E Skeemer 21-13; T Payne, Jill Wells, J Perry, B Parsons 15-21.

Lyme 79 Severalls 77.

K Faragher, S Applebee, M Bartlett, G Cozens 17-25; J Beavis, T Payne, R Moody, C Clissold 17-23; B Downes, Y Moody, G Clode, K Clissold 21-16; V Cozens, T Coldrick, B Parsons, Chas Barber 24-13.

Lyme 159 Redhill Tour 102.

J Barnish, T Payne, T Poyner, C Clissold 20-21; B Downes, J Perry, D Perry, B Collier 14-16; T Coldrick, P Moseley, R Winterborne, B Parsons 23-13; K Faragher, A Brown, N Benson, M Thorne 35-8; J Beavis, D Courtenay-Smith, J Moseley, John Wells 28-18; J Andrews, K Smith, A Preece, R Edwards 18-14; J Brown, J York, J Beadsley, C Barber 21-12.

BOWDITCH SHOOTS FOR THE OLYMPICS

By Stuart Broom

THERE was a familiar face at the recent ISSF Shotgun World Cup 2010 held at the Southern Counties Shooting Ground near Dorchester, but this time he wasn't shooting from behind a gun, but from behind a camera.

Lee Bowditch, who shot for and captained England in the 1990's is now a freelance writer and photographer for international shooting magazines.

Lee (50), born in Weymouth, has lived in Beaminstor for most of his life. In his late teens he became involved in motorbike trials, and became one of the top Dorset riders, regularly riding with and competing against Ray Samways and Ken Farwell.

His last big event before becoming interested in shooting was the Scottish Six Day, considered to be one of the greatest motorcycle trials in the world.

Lee had only taken a passing interest in shooting before, taking part in a few "haybale" shoots on local farms, but his talents were recognised and he took a few lessons with Tony "Haggis" Hartman, an England Olympic skeet member.

He competed in a number of major competitions around the country, gaining a reputation shooting in the "C" classification, and qualified for Dorset in the early 90's.

He was first selected for England in 1991, and in 1994 won the individual gold medal in the Home Internationals held in Stirling.

The following year he represented England as part of a four man team that won gold in the Mini Commonwealth Games held in Jersey, and partnering Kevin Tyler, they won silver for England in the Commonwealth Shooting Games held in New Delhi, India.

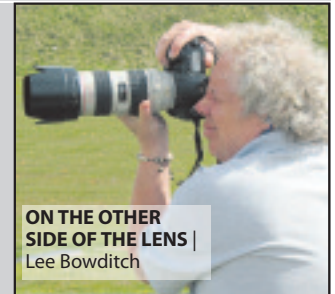
1999 was the pinnacle of Lee's career as he was nominated captain of the England team which had a clean sweep in the Home Internationals; Lee also winning the High Gun Cup as the winner of the captain's competition.

After representing England 13 times and GB four times, Lee retired from the sport. However six years later after losing his father, he decided 13 was unlucky and went back to serious training and in 2006 made his 14th and last appearance for England in the Home Internationals at Doveridge where he finished fourth out of 60 competitors.

Satisfied with having cleared his mind of any nagging negative thoughts, he continued with his other love; photography. Lee had been interested since a teenager but never really had the time to take it seriously, and free from the hustle and bustle of training and competing, it seemed a good time to concentrate on it more.

His switch to freelance photo journalism however came a little by luck and a wedding in Wales. Lee and his wife were asked by a friend Tony Grove, a Welsh shooter, to photograph and video his daughter's wedding in a castle in South Wales.

Taking the task seriously they decided to travel to Wales a month before the wedding to check out the



ON THE OTHER
SIDE OF THE LENS |
Lee Bowditch

location. As Lee said: "I don't know what it is with me but I always give everything I do in life 100 per cent effort, and this was no exception. In order to do a good job we had to early and check everything out."

"Tony suggested that I might like to take my gun along with me so that we could pop down to the local Telpyn Gun Club and shoot some Olympic skeet once all the wedding plans had been sorted."

"Not having been involved with shooting for a couple of years, I was unaware that the Home Internationals were to be held at Telpyn later in the year, and we bumped into the Welsh team and board members, many of whom I know, who were training there."

"In discussions it emerged that they did not have an official photographer for the event, and an approach was made to the Welsh authorities for me to cover it. They stalled however when they asked whether I had covered such competitions before and what shooting magazine did I work for."

However having shown them the quality of my wedding photographs they agreed."

Lee made some changes to the presentation and design of the photographs which were greatly received and he has been responsible for covering the following years in Scotland and Northern Ireland, and this year will be responsible for the 2010 championships in Doveridge.

Lee currently reports for the Clay Shooting Magazine and Pull Magazine and hopes that whilst he didn't manage to shoot for GB in the Olympics, he may get there as a photographer.

He feels very fortunate to be able to do what he is doing saying: "For those people who know me personally, they know that my life has been a little hard over the last year and a half, but I am a firm believer that things happen in life for a reason, and I have bounced back from these hard times and now I feel ten times stronger. I can now concentrate on photography full time which had been my lifetime ambition."

"Having a shooting background, is very much in my favour as I try to take the best photograph possible without disturbing the shooter."

"I was one of only two official photographers at the recent ISSF Shotgun World Cup, and although I never represented GBR in the Olympics, there is a very strong possibility that I will get there in 2012 as an official photographer."

SALISBURY SWEEP ASIDE BY BRIDPORT

SUNDAY brought Bridport Water Polo club's first sea match of the summer season which ended with a convincing performance from a young Bridport team gaining victory over Salisbury.

Simon Middleton opened up the scoring with a superb back-shot into the far corner of the net, followed by James Blackmore, Kester Sheppard and Tim Banbury all scored in the first quarter to Salisbury's single goal.

Bridport began the third quarter extremely strongly with goals again from Blackmore, Banbury, Middleton and a stunning bounce shot from Sheppard giving the Salisbury keeper very little chance.

A further two goals from Blackmore and a monumental goal from legend Bill Alexander, undisputedly Bridport's Rock at the back who streaked forward and fired home putting the end result out of question despite a late surge from the visitors who scored three late goals, leaving the scoreline at 11-4 to Bridport.

There were strong performances from Nick Cowley, Katie Banbury, Stuart Vaughn and goal keeping from Fred Fowler.. Bridport play their next sea

match against the university team of UWIC on Sunday, August 8th at 4.15pm in West Bay's outer harbour.



Match action from Bridport's superb 11-4 win over Salisbury

LYME REGIS GOLF CLUB

WITH STEVE PERCIVAL & ELLIE LANGFORD

NANTES SALVER

THE annual seniors' match (sponsored by Nantes Solicitors of Bridport) for the Nantes Salver between old rivals Lyme Regis and Bridport is always a fiercely contested event. This year was anticipated to be no exception, particularly as the last time that Lyme had won the event was 2004!

However, with home advantage, a course in excellent condition and being able to field the strongest possible team, they were confident that they stood a good chance of victory.

On the day this proved to be very much the case and, with all of their team producing excellent individual and team performances the final result exceeded all expectations.

Played as four ball better ball match, all of the Lyme pairs dovetailed exceptionally well to overcome some very stiff opposition from the equally determined Bridport side which included two ex Lyme members whose knowledge of the course was almost certainly still fresh in their memories.

Although the final result was an overwhelming 6-0 victory for Lyme Regis many of the match results were closer than the final score seems to indicate. First pair out

Mike Warren (10) and Steve Philips (11) played exceptionally well as a pair to record a 3-2 win over Terry Garrett (22) and ex-Lyme player Keith Hicks (13) whilst Roger Driver (7) and David Cannings (21) achieved an overwhelming 7-5 win over Mike Joslin (9) and Mike Conway. Julian Cox (7) stormed round the first nine to record a gross evens score and, with his playing partner, Roger Stokes (16) card a five hole lead which gave a final 5-3 win over Malcolm Lawrence (11) and Ron Hobson (23).

John Thomas (14) and Ted Baker (15) also gelled well as a team to complete a convincing 3-2 win over Derek Griggs (19) and Dave Cook (18).

Meanwhile, newly qualified senior, Rob Clapp (5) and Club Vice Captain Ray Farrell (16) were looking set for defeat until, three holes from the 18th Ray found inspiration to achieve a one hole victory over Keith Brown (11) and Terry Wilmott (18).

One hole victories were also recorded by Brian Bellars and John Toates both playing off 18 against Brian Walsh (16) and David Boggis (18).

Needless to say the Lyme team were jubilant after such an emphatic win and hopes were high for

the forthcoming Knighton Heath trophy semi final match against the Dorset Golf and country club.

Whilst the Lyme team played well, the combination of an extremely difficult course and home advantage to the opposition combined to result in a convincing 6-0 defeat.

Daily Mail Ladies Foursomes

by Ellie Langford

FOURSOMES is never an easy format, with each pair playing one ball and taking alternate shots.

The winners of the 32 team com-

petition were the regular pairing of Di Dick and Prue Russell who made it look easy with a round where their approach shots found the greens and all their putts seemed to drop.

They finished with a nett 70 and now go through to the knockout part of the competition where they will be drawn against the winners of another club.

The runners up were Sandra Shefferd and Julia Coote with a nett 71.5 on count back from Shelia Clare and Lynda Bass also with 71.5.



WINNERS | Members of the Nantes Salver winning teams with non-playing captain Adris Wells.

Howzat! - The West Dorset Cricket scene

WITH HOWARD LARCOMBE

BELT'S 7-34 ALL IN VAIN AS DORCH CRASH

**MCCA CHAMPIONSHIP
WESTERN DIVISION
Dorset CCC v Cornwall CCC**
(at St Austell, day 2 of 3)**Dorset 1st Innings 314 all out
(87.5 overs)**

A MAGNIFICENT 186-run partnership for the first wicket between Aaron Williams and Nick Park gave Dorset hopes of a huge total after skipper Tom Hicks won the toss at St Austell.

With the first day washed out by rain, Williams (102, including 15 4s) and Park (14 4s and 1 six) took the attack to the Cornishmen who included ex-Somerset stalwart Keith Parsons amongst their ranks.

But when Park was snapped up by Hockin off Smeeth the bright start tailed off somewhat once Glyn Treagus (26) was cleaned up by Hockin who went on to take 4 for 75 from 25.5 overs.

**Cornwall 1st Innings 129 for 1
(30 overs)**

The Cornwall reply began in similar fashion to their opponents' with Matt Robins (40) and David Roberts accumulating 88 runs for the opening wicket before Robins was castled by Ed Denham.

Roberts (58no) and Matt Rowe (19no) saw the hosts to the relative comfort of 130 for 1 at the close despite the efforts of Hicks who shuffled his six-man attack in an attempt to conjure up further inroads.

**DORSET FUNERAL PLAN LEAGUE
PREMIER DIVISION****Weymouth 163 all out lost to
Marnhull 253 all out by 90 runs.**

VISITING Weymouth slipped to a disappointing 90-run defeat at relegation-haunted Marnhull.

Things started well for the visitors with paceman Dan Hutchens striking twice in the opening over. But an ankle injury in his next over took the steam out of the pacesman's explosive start.

Ben Doige (4-73) then stepped-up to the plate and Marnhull were reeling at 109 for 8. But the hosts' tail wagged to good effect adding 144 runs from the last two wickets as the depleted Weymouth attack toiled.

In reply the Seaside's response stuttered to 46 for 3 before Sean Fitzgerald (49) and Dean Janaway (33) added 78 for the fourth wicket.

This sparked an alarming collapse that saw Weymouth lose their last seven wickets for just 39 runs which could well lead to a battle to avoid relegation back down into Division One.

**Dorchester 61 all out
lost to Poole Town 164 all out
by 103 runs.**

DORCHESTER bagged just five points as they were blown away for just 61 on their own soil by title-chasing Poole Town.

Hosts' skipper Martyn Richards inserted Poole after winning the toss and saw his side take the initiative with Dan Belt's stunning return of 7 for 34 from just 7.5 overs.

Amazingly all of Belt's victims were snared in a 19-ball purple patch at the end of his spell with four victims falling in his last five deliveries.

So the Dorchester reply began with confidence high but this was soon stifled as the Poole attack followed Belt's lead. Pete Moxom was clean-up early for a duck by the impressive Martin Ford who finished with 5 for 29.

The carnage continued with only Lee Haynes (14) reaching double figures.

The County town also suffered a set-back when Andy Mead suffered a hand injury and was forced to retire hurt and is a serious doubt for the remainder of the campaign.

The result looks to have ended any lingering hopes Dorchester may have held of snatching the Premier Division title from under the noses of Saturday's opponents or current leaders Parley.

**DIVISION ONE
Beaminster 288 for 6 beat
Weymouth 2nds by 16 runs.**

BASEMENT-boys Beaminster sprung a surprise on mid-table hosts Weymouth 2nds with a morale-boosting 16-run victory in a high scoring match that yielded 73 boundaries.

On a fantastic wicket and with a short outfield, Beaminster won the toss and decided to bat.

Rich Runyard set the tone of their innings by playing aggressively against the opening bowlers and hit some wonderful shots. He was well supported by Nick David as the pair put on 85 for the first wicket.

Runyard raced to 50 as he dispatched the Weymouth attack to all parts. The openers were eventually split when David was adjudged lbw off Ul-Haq for a well made 24. Simon Jones then came to the crease and immediately looked comfortable. After putting on a further 43 runs, Runyard was clean bowled by host captain John Ryan for an excellent 78 (14 4s, two 6s).



HARD-HITTING | Rich Runyard (78) took the attack to Weymouth 2nds

Beaminster then lost two more wickets for 16 runs as Weymouth's spin bowlers fought back.

However a good partnership of 63 between Jones and Hugh Rathbone put the visitors back in control.

Rathbone was eventually bowled by Mote for 35 and although Martin soon followed, Adam Herring put on 70 runs with Jones as Beaminster scored their highest score of the season as they closed on 288-6.

Herring and Jones batted superbly together as Jones finished on 81 not out and Herring also unbeaten on 24. Most successful of the Weymouth attack were Ryan 2 for 52 and Mote 2 for 48.

In reply, Beaminster's openers Runyard and Martin kept it tight as runs were hard to come by. Martin bowled his 10 overs unchanged and finished with 2 for 27 as Weymouth struggled to 72-3.

First change bowler Baker also took a wicket as the bowlers and fielders put pressure on the batsmen.

Weymouth's middle order tried to increase their run rate by playing some big shots, with Kieron Womble cracking a fine eight-boundary 48 before being stumped by Runyard off Barber.

Simon Jones was introduced into the attack and was soon amongst wickets removing Bray (57), Mote (37) and Armfield (4).

The game was on a knife-edge as Weymouth scored runs freely but were always slightly behind the run rate.

As more risks were taken, Beaminster had opportunities in the field, some

catches were dropped but eventually wickets fell with Andy Sherring chipping in with the wickets of tailenders Trotter (10) and Walton (12) and finishing with 2 for 61.

Adam Herring who bowled just eight balls, took 2 for 6 as Brian Earl held his nerve to take the last two catches to win Beaminster the game as Weymouth were all out for 272 from 48.3 overs.

Afterwards both skippers agreed it had been a superb match played in fine spirit, John Ryan said: "All credit to Beaminster they look to be in relegation trouble but they came out all guns blazing after winning the toss and having first use of an excellent track.

"If we could have batted out the entire innings maybe we could have just scraped a win. The result means, with three out of our four remaining games away from home, we still need one more win to avoid being sucked into a relegation scrap."

Beaminster captain Baker confirmed to *View Sport* that he felt the result could keep alive his teams hopes of avoiding the drop into Division Two just a little longer: "We've still got a chance - but it's going to take other results to go our way."

**DIVISION TWO
Dorchester 2nds 183 all out lost to
Wimborne & Colehill 2nds 211 for 9
by 28 runs.**

DORCHESTER 2nds were also on the end of a disappointing reverse as they fell 28 runs short on their travels to Wimborne & Colehill.

**DIVISION THREE
Bridport 100 all out lost to
Pavilion Sports 180 all out by 80 runs.**
BRIDPORT staggered to a three figure total but were well beaten from their visit to Pavilion Sports.**Martinstown 191 for 5 lost
to Cranborne 192 for 9 by 1 wicket.**
THERE was a close finish at Cranborne where the hosts scraped a one wicket victory over Martinstown.

After being inserted Martinstown were soon in trouble at 36 for 3 before Rob O'Brien (40) forged a fine 92-run stand with Danny Dancer.

Dancer eventually pirouetted to a fine unbeaten 77 containing 10 4s aided by a beligerent 20 from skipper Nick Quintrell who clubbed two maximums to push the score up to a competitive 191.

Dancer then removed the 'Puddles' opener Beattie for an 18-ball duck.

A second wicket partnership of looked to be taking the game away from the visitors before Matt Camp dismissed both Payne (5) and Coy (39). This brought Martinstown back into the reckoning.

Camp finished with 3 for 35 and Dancer 3 for 53 from their allotted 12 overs.

Ben Wood (2 for 18) joined the party with a couple of late wickets but the hosts scrambled their way to victory with 13 balls remaining.

Meanwhile Portland Red Triangle (153 all out) suffered a six wicket defeat at the hands of visiting Cattistock (155 for 6).

**DIVISION FOUR
Beaminster 2nds 130 all out lost to
Wimborne & Colehill 2nds 251 for 6
by 121 runs.**

BEAMINSTER 2nds opening attack of Joe Hawkins and Matt Hansford bowled well at the start, Hawkins picking up three wickets from his two spells.

But the Beaminster fielding left a lot to be desired and made it easy for their batsmen to relieve any pressure the hosts'

bowlers tried to create.

Ian Hutchings took a great catch on the boundary to dismiss the Wimborne number three who benefitted from several 'lives' in hitting 124.

In reply there were a few starts from the Beaminster batsmen with only five players reaching double figures but chasing 251 looked impossible almost as soon as the Wimborne bowlers started going!

There were brief moments of class, Hutchings hit a couple of boundaries before being caught behind for 19, Joe Hawkins made 24, and again it was left to Stuart Lindsey to hit some massive shots to reach 31 and gain a few batting points for his side.

But Beaminster were eventually bowled out for 130 with 13 overs to spare with eight batsmen offering catchable chances that were pouched.

**DIVISION FIVE
Weymouth 3rds 120 for 5 beat
Sherborne 2nds 119 all out by 5 wickets.**

A FIVE wicket win in a low scoring contest at Sherborne 2nds sees Weymouth 3rds cling on to the Division Five top spot.

**DIVISION SIX
Dorchester 3rds 244 for 5 beat
Abbotsbury 151 for 9 by 93 runs.**

DORCHESTER 3rds maintained their promotion push with a comfortable 93-run win at Abbotsbury.

**Bridport 2nds 222 all out beat
Branksome 2nds 111 all out
by 111 runs.**

IT was a case of 'Nelson to the fore' at Bridport where the hosts' 222 proved far too much for Branksome 2nds who collapsed to 111 all out to lose by 111 runs.

Bridport skipper Jamie Dollman won the toss and his decision to bat first was rewarded by the father and son combination of Rod and Duane Gay who put on 88 for the first wicket.

Duane was eventually dismissed for a top score of 79 with Rod compiling 43. Number three bat Toby Hall added 23 before Ashley Parker gave the innings some impetus towards the end with four boundaries in a brisk 20.

The Branksome reply saw wickets fall at regular intervals with all five of the Bridport attack striking.

Most successful was Duane Gay who snared 4 for 27 from nine pacy overs. Parker (2 for 21) and Rod Gay (2 for 10) bagged a couple apiece whilst skipper Dollman had a rare bowl and struck with one wicket from his two deliveries.

Meanwhile Weymouth Longshots crushed visiting Ferndown Wayfarers by 10-wickets after chasing down a paltry 91 for victory.

**SUNDAY DIVISION FOUR
Symene 191 all out lost to
Puddletown 193 for 3 by 7 wickets.**

SYMENE skipper Colin Willcox won the toss and elected to have first use of the artificial track at Puddletown.

Willcox (49) and opening bat Sam Challis' (44) partnership of 69 for the second wicket was then the highlight of a total of 191 all out, which Willcox felt was 30-40 runs short of being really competitive, with Mark Tozer (23) and Marcel Grunschloss (20) chipping-in with useful knocks.

The Puddletown response was constructed around the efforts of brothers' Sam and Tim Goodhew. Sam top-scored with an unbeaten 78 whilst Tim (39), also unbeaten, saw the hosts home.

Afterwards Willcox felt the margin of defeat was a little harsh, he said: "once again, if we had held our catches, we dropped half-a-dozen, we could have made things a lot closer."

Graham Bartlett (2 for 38) and Liam Toohill (1 for 25) were the successful of the Symene bowlers.

**READERS MID-WESSEX LEAGUE
DIVISION ONE****Broadwindsor 95 all out lost to
West Chinnock 96 for 3 by 7 wickets.**

BROADWINDSOR skipper Adie Phillips rued his decision to bat first after winning the toss against West Chinnock on Sunday. "It wasn't a great wicket and it look liked they had watered it in the morning."

Things started well for the West Dorset side as Steve Phillips (20) and Chris Park put on 25 for the first wicket. But once they were parted it was downhill all the way with only Dean Hyet (15) making any contribution of any note.

The hosts knocked-off the required 96 runs for the loss of just three wickets in 20 overs with Broadwindsor paying the penalty for spilling four regulation catches.

Pick of the bowlers was Rich Runyard who took 2 for 28 off his eight overs.

**DEVON LEAGUE
2nd XI Division C**
*by Paul Crompton***Uplyme & Lyme Regis 2nds XI 183 for 4
beat Barnstaple 100 all out by 83 runs.**

NEWLY promoted Division C "whipping boys" Uplyme 2nds proved they are more than a match for the league's teams when at full strength after thrashing visitors Barnstaple by 84 runs in just 21 overs at the KGV Playing Field on Saturday.

Bolstered by the return of last year's regulars; strike bowler Jamie Toates (6 for 21) and batsman Jack Lamb-Wilson (66 not out), Uplyme secured only their second win of the season.

Opener Henry Perry (17) and number three Dave Norman (16) proved resilient but it was the 125-run stand between Captain Eddie Clarke (68, including three sixes) and Lamb-Wilson which helped secure the 182-run total for the loss of just four wickets.

Controversy came early in the Barnstaple innings when the visiting umpire reversed his decision after Wilkins (7) was cleaned bowled by Mike Holding (2 for 48) with only 50 on the board.

Home umpire Neil Price spotted that a bail had been dislodged by the delivery but the visitors' official claimed that wicket-keeper Clarke had broken the stumps with his gloves.

The visitors captain Loader then accused Price of cheating when he was given lbw when Toates beat him for pace.

From then on only J Roe (23 not out) proved able to withstand the bowling onslaught as the visitors fell for 100 all out.



INCISIVE | Jamie Toates blasted through the Barnstaple line-up

Pre-season round-up

League one newcomers too much for Magpies

DORCHESTER TOWN 0 AFC BOURNEMOUTH 5

DESPITE a promising start by the county town side, Dorchester were both outclassed and outplayed by League One new boys AFC Bournemouth.

Transformed by popular manager Eddie Howe and now playing the kind of football that is pleasing to watch, the Cherries may not have fielded their strongest side but still ran out 5-0 winners at the Avenue Stadium, with ex-Dorchester keeper Gareth Stewart keeping a clean sheet against his former team mates.

Dorchester had their chances and gave us fleeting glimpses of the kind of football the home supwill be keen to see more of in the coming season.

Ryan Hill, Stuart Douglas and Matt Groves all failed to make the most of opportunities that fell to them.

The goals were just not going to come for the Magpies as Bournemouth played well out of defence with little pressure from their opponents.

The visitors first goal came after 13 minutes from 16-year-old Elliott Ward, who added another after 28 minutes courtesy of a deflection off Kyle Critchell.

And Jayden Stockley made it 3-0 five minutes later, giving the visitors a commanding lead at half-time.

A Danny Ings goal only five minutes into the second-half increased the Cherries lead, and despite several changes by manager Ashley Vickers and periods of sustained pressure by the Magpies, it was left to Josh McQuoid to add a fifth for the visitors with just 12 minutes to go.

After the game manager Ashley Vickers said of the Bournemouth side: "Despite starting well we couldn't live with their movement.

We regrouped at half-time, changed the formation to get to grips with certain things, and the boys gave their all.

We played with more pride in the second-half and showed more character, but we have to keep believing in ourselves and all pull in the right direction.

Four of their goals were down to individual errors, but we will bounce back and move forward. We will go into our first league game fit and hungry for success....and that success will come."

It was also great to see the Magpies back in their traditional black and white stripes, a popular move with older supporters.

And it was lovely to see Magpies stalwart Eileen Aplin receive due recognition for all she has done for the Club in a short presentation before the match.

PERRY STREET LEAGUE NEWS

Pymore FC Annual Presentation evening

PYMORE Football Club held their annual presentation night on Saturday with a barbeque at the

home of Player-Manager Matt Tither.

Goalkeeper Charlie Youngs scooped the Manager's Player of the Year for an outstanding season between the sticks. Right-back Nathan Goldstone, in his first season with the club, had two reasons to celebrate after being named the club's Players Player of the Year and also the Young Player of the Year.

Goal-getter Adam Cody-Boucher once again claimed the top goalscorer shield. Long-serving club member and Perry Street League Cups representative Brain Tither received the Clubman of the Year, yet again, after another season helping behind the scenes as well as running the line each week.

Pymore now focus on preparation for the new campaign ahead and a spot in Division Two following last season's relegation.

Tither is happy with the numbers at training, he said: "I feel we are starting to get together a good squad with the some more new



BOUND FOR THE HOUNDS
Leigh Hansford

DORCHESTER TOWN FC 2010-11



BACK IN STRIPES | The Dorchester Town squad have returned to their more traditional black and white stripes for the upcoming Blue Square South campaign. With a promising pre-season schedule now well under way manager Ashley Vickers (fifth from right, front row) can feel confident of a possible improvement on last season's 17th placed finish.
Photo by IDRIS MARTIN

faces expected. I'd also like to wish ex-skipper Leigh Hansford the best of luck for the new season.

"After three years with the club, Leigh is joining up with Waytown Hounds.

I completely understand the reasons why Leigh has decided to move on, I wish him all the best with his new club and would like to thank him for his hard work and support over the past three seasons, the banter around the club won't be the same without him!"

Charmouth FC

Franklin in from Horse
Training is well under way on

Wednesdays at 6.30pm and Saturdays at 1pm at the Playing Field at Barrs Lane and the club have a number of pre-season friendlies lined up in the near future.

Any new and former players are most welcome to come along and can contact Manager Mike Walton (07563 504355) or assistant Nick Pomeroy (07881 952175) for more information.

Despite last season's relegation, long-standing committee member Mike Smith is encouraged by the spirit at the club as the new season in Division One approaches, he said: "Things are looking promising but we are still looking for new players to strengthen the squad.

"We have though already re-

tained the services of 19-year-old Nicky Land who joined us towards the end of last season from Devon side Elmore and signed for White Horse goalkeeper Mark Franklin to replace Dan Dunford who has left to join Waytown Hounds.

"Most of last year's first team squad are back in training together with a promising group of local young players and we are hopeful of a crop of new signings as the start of the season draws nearer.

"Finally we have obtained new shirt sponsors for the coming season; 'R & SB Fencing' run by former Charmouth man Kip Hansford and we thank him for his support."

YOUTH CRICKET

Uplyme fightback to end Dorchester domination

UPLYME & Lyme Regis under 11s cricket team recovered from a disastrous start to their innings to beat reigning champions Dorchester in the final of the West Dorset league Archie Masters knock-out cup on their home turf at the KGV Playing Field in Uplyme.

Uplyme batted first after skipper Wesley Holmes lost the toss and lost openers Tyler Wellman and Jake Sergeant with just two on the board. This became 6 for 4 after three overs before Holmes and James Clarke fought what

proved to be a decisive 78-run partnership for the fifth wicket as the hosts closed on 98 for 6 from their allotted 18 overs.

Holmes retired unbeaten on 26 with Clarke also unbeaten on 20. Top scorer was extras with 39.

In reply, the visitors must have rued giving their opponents the bonus 39 as they slipped behind the run-rate. They went into the last two overs needing an unlikely 32 runs to lift the cup for a fourth successive time.

This proved to be a bridge too far and they finished 26 runs

short on 72 for 5 from their 18 overs with Holmes' two wickets adding to three run-outs.

The victory completes a superb unbeaten season for the Uplyme team which may yet result in an impressive double.

The league committee is scheduled to sit in September when they will decide the outcome of the league championship trophy with both Uplyme and Dorchester laying claims due to a debatable 'cancelled match' points ruling.



CHAMPIONS | The Victorious Uplyme & Lyme Regis under 11s team pictured before last week's 26-run Archie Masters Cup Final victory over Dorchester. Line up back row from left; Wesley Holmes (captain), Tyler Wellman, Jake Sergeant, Zac Robertson, Charlie Rudkin. Front: Thomas Tate, James Clarke, Isaac Rowdin, Daley Holmes
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INSIDE: Comprehensive local sports news round-up

Devlin under Daggers' spotlight

DORCHESTER Town winger Steve Devlin is currently on trial at npower Division One outfit Dagenham & Redbridge.

Devlin, who arrived at the Avenue Stadium from Dorset Premier League outfit Holt United, was once linked to Steve Heighway's Liverpool under 16s squad has also turned out for amongst others Frome Town and Chard Town.

The left-sided midfielder featured in the Daggers 3-1 pre-season friendly win at Billericay and is training with the first team squad.

Devlin's current team-mates were due to travel for a friendly at Bashley last night (Tuesday)

Meanwhile the club is gearing up for the latest in their succession of Sportsman's Dinners. Former World Heavyweight Boxing

BY HOWARD LARCOMBE

Champion Frank Bruno is due in the Marquee on Friday, September 3rd. For more details contact the club on 01305 262451.

WEYMOUTH'S ranks have been boosted by the signing of towering defender Ben Gerrig. The 19-year-old has signed a one year contract as the Terras beat off the attention of several interested parties including Forest Green.

Weymouth manager Ian Hutchinson will look to include Gerrig in his line-up for the last of the club's two pre-season friendlies against Hamworthy United (last night, Tuesday) and Saturday's visit of neighbours Dorchester Town for Saturday's local derby (3pm kick-off) where admission prices will be; adults

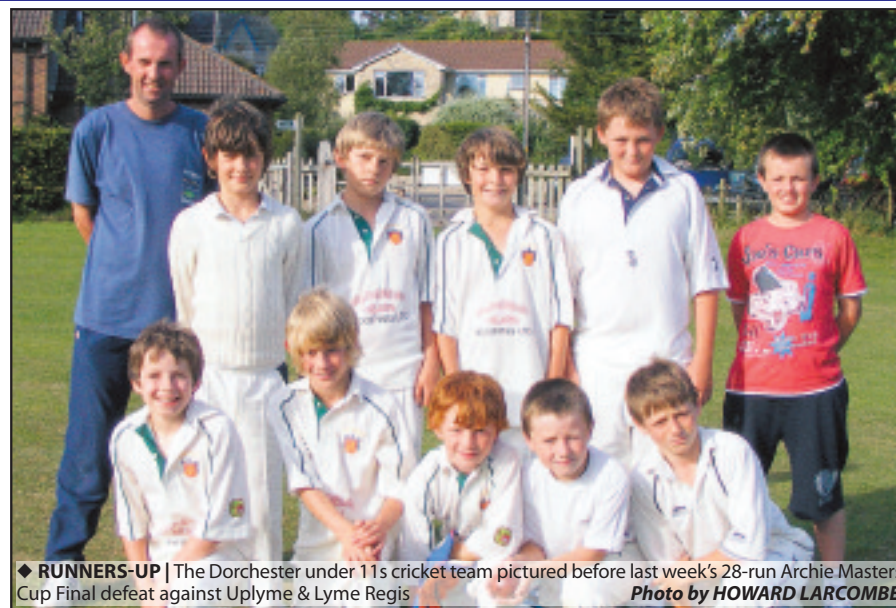
£8, concessions £5 and children £1.

On Saturday Hutchinson saw his charges defeat visiting Longwell Green Sports 4-0 thanks in main to a fine first-half hat-trick from Sam Charles. Jules Emati-Emati notched the Terras other goal.

BRIDPORT completed their pre-season friendly campaign unbeaten, and in style, as they hammered Hellenic Division One outfit Trowbridge Town 7-0 at St Mary's on Saturday.

A brace of penalties from Ryan Dovell and singles from Jamie Symes and Shane Evans saw the Bees storm into a 4-0 half-time lead.

Roger Cummings, with a 30-yard chip, Crit Clarke and Dan Wise rounded off a comfortable victory after the interval.



♦ **RUNNERS-UP** | The Dorchester under 11s cricket team pictured before last week's 28-run Archie Masters Cup Final defeat against Uplyme & Lyme Regis
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